

Illinois Demo Leaders Back Lucas, 3 Others

Virtually Assure Wins In Primaries

Springfield, Ill., Dec. 28—(AP)—Illinois Democratic leaders endorsed Senator Lucas (D-Ill.) and three other state candidates today, virtually assuring them nomination in the April primary.

The party chiefs also voiced calm confidence that the ticket will be elected in November, giving the Democrats full control of all statehouse elective offices.

In addition, the state making members of the party's state central committee expressed hope for congressional and legislative gains, although many districts haven't yet decided on organization choices.

Lucas Sure Of Victory
Lucas said the endorsement makes it certain he and the ticket will win "because you can't beat a party when it's in and the country is prosperous."

He predicted the Democrats will make big 1950 congressional gains and win other election prizes because the Republicans "have no program and only condemn and criticize." He added:

"All they're doing is trying to put the Democratic party in the hole. They won't win because the American people will let well enough alone."

"The people believe in the principles of the fair deal and in our party because our party believes more in the good things of life than our opponents do."

List Of Candidates
Winning regular organization support without dissent were these candidates—all tentatively named previously in Chicago:

Senator Scott W. Lucas of Havana for reelection to a six year term.
State Treasurer Ora Smith of Bigsby for clerk of the supreme court, a six year term.

C. Robert Engle of Chicago and Cuba, Ill., for superintendent of public instruction, a four year job.
Michael Howlett, Jr., 35 year old Chicago youth leader, for the two year treasurer office which Smith now holds.

Two Republicans, Earle Benjamin Searcy of Springfield and Vernon L. Nickell of Champaign, now hold the supreme court clerk and public instruction jobs—the only Republicans in elective state offices. Both are candidates for reelection.

George D. Kells, Chicago alderman and state chairman, told the meeting that the party's state campaigning next year will be on the defensive.

Betty Marbury Loses Her Hand But Not Her Faith

Memphis, Tenn., Dec. 28—(AP)—Betty Lou Marbury lost her right hand today but her childish faith didn't waver. She was described as "stoic and courageous" in the operating room.

The Baptist hospital chaplain, F. F. Loman, told of her manner during surgery and said: "I hope the simple faith she has exhibited throughout all her experience can be an example to the nation."

Hospital authorities said the 10-year-old girl was in "very good" condition and reacted well from the anesthesia.

Doctors had decided the amputation—in the middle of the forearm—was vital to protect her life from a malignant bone tumor on the third finger. The operation was designed to keep the malignancy from spreading.

Loman and the parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clay Marbury of Brownsville, Tenn., visited the pretty, little blonde just after the operation.

He said she "still manifested the same faith" that prompted her to ask the nation's prayers for her health because she believed they would be answered.

Churchill Is Time Magazine's 'Man Of Half-Century'

New York, Dec. 28—(AP)—Winston Churchill is Time magazine's choice for the "Man of the Half-Century."

"No man's history can sum up the dreadful, wonderful years 1900-50. Churchill's story comes closest," the magazine says in its Jan. 2 issue, to be released tomorrow.

Time describes the British Tory leader as "one of the half-century's greater politicians."

Interweaving Churchill's story into the international currents of the time says:

"His chief contribution was to lead the world ahead, and to lead it back. He was not the man who designed the ship; What he did was to launch the lifeboats."

Clothing Prices Hit Record Two-Year Low

Washington, Dec. 28—(AP)—A new government living cost index today showed clothing prices have reached their lowest level in more than two years.

The Bureau of Labor Statistics, which prepares the index, said average retail prices for apparel reached their lowest in mid-November since August, 1947.

Apparel prices began rising after August, 1947 to a peak in October, 1948. They are now 7½ per cent below October, 1948.

A further decline in average prices for men's, women's and children's clothing and furnishings may be in progress now—due to post holiday sales.

The new living cost index—showing a new gradual rise in rents—remained virtually unchanged from October to November. The index rose only one-tenth of one per cent, a very nominal change.

The index for November stood at 168.6 per cent of the base period, which is the five-year span 1935-39. The index is 2 per cent lower than a year ago, but 71 per cent higher than the August, 1939, prewar level.

Rents rose four-tenths of one per cent from October to November, continuing a steady rise. For the three-month period ending in November, the bureau said, the largest rent increases were 11 per cent at Houston, Tex., and 10.7 per cent at Milwaukee.

Food prices rose fractionally in November. Many food items were down a bit. But coffee retail prices jumped 2.4 per cent during the month and prices for fresh fruits and vegetables rose 5 per cent.

The fuel, electricity and refrigeration group rose one-half of one per cent, mainly due to higher prices for anthracite, bituminous coal and coke.

The index, called the consumers price index, is considered as the government's official measurement of living costs. It averages out the retail prices of goods and services bought by city families with moderate incomes.

Truman Promises U.S. Support To U.S. Of Indonesia

Washington, Dec. 28—(AP)—President Truman, bidding for close ties with the United States of Indonesia, said tonight the new state "may count upon the sympathy and support of all who believe in democracy and the right of self government."

He added that the newly-born state has already shown that it will fight against encroachments by foreign dictators—an obvious reference to Russia.

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Mr. Truman also named H. Merle Cochran as the first U. S. ambassador. A loan for economic development and possibly a limited amount of military assistance is expected to follow.

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Illinois News Briefs

Chicago, Dec. 28—(AP)—A young butcher's helper was shot and seriously wounded by a hold up man today near the west side store where he worked.

The abdomen and one hand of Sam Calabrese, 17, were pierced by pistol bullets. He was taken to Cook county hospital.

Calabrese was returning from a bank where his employer had sent him to get \$20 in change.

Peoria, Ill., Dec. 28—(AP)—Two small coal mines in the Peoria area today announced signing of new wage contracts with the United Mine Workers union.

The agreements provide for resumption of a five day work week after the first of the year. Most of the nation's mines now are working three days.

Decatur, Ill., Dec. 28—(AP)—Edward E. Lindsay, editor of the Decatur Herald and Review, will be among 17 American newspaper men who will go to Europe in January to study the effects of the Marshall Plan.

The group will visit England, Germany, Italy and France at the expense of each editor's newspaper. Lindsay is the only Illinois editor who will make the trip.

Peoria, Ill., Dec. 28—(AP)—Mrs. Madeleine Van Bile Hyde, 71, wife of the Rev. Henry N. Hyde, retired, died today.

She was the mother of Dr. Henry Van Bile Hyde, medical director of the New York City Health Service, who recently appointed representative on the executive council of the world health organization, United Nations.

Rock Island, Ill., Dec. 28—(AP)—A conference of 750 seminary students anticipating a new unification movement within the Protestant church began last night.

The second triennial inter-seminary conference launched discussions looking toward formation of a new national council of churches in the United States, scheduled for next November.

Momence, Ill., Dec. 28—(AP)—Two men beat, bound and gagged a gasoline station attendant here today and robbed him of \$125.

The victim was John Sharkey, 25. Sheriff Gene Lafontaine said the two men entered Sharkey's station at mid-day and left him helpless for three hours.

A passerby heard his muffled cries and untied him. The station is in the business section of this Kankakee county town of 2,500. Sharkey was not seriously hurt.

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States Need Of U.S. Pension Policy To Avoid Strikes

Jacobson Released After 12 Days In Hungary Jail; 'Not Quite' A Spy

Vienna, Austria, Dec. 28—(AP)—Israel Jacobson, American Jewish relief administrator, returned to Vienna today tired and a little leaner after 12 days in a Budapest jail. Hungarian officials had concluded he was "not quite" a spy.

Released yesterday, the director of the American Joint Distribution Commission (AJDC) in Hungary was delayed in arriving here an overnight stay in the hands of Russian officers. His permit to travel across the Soviet occupation zone of Austria had expired.

Jacobson, 37, told newspapermen he was questioned about alleged spying activities from mid-afternoon on the day of his arrest, Dec. 15, until five o'clock the next morning, and for periods of more than 20 hours at a time for the next four days.

During these periods he was made to sit at attention, and was warned that if he continued to cross his legs or slump in his seat he would be "sent to the cellar"—a term he took to mean solitary confinement.

After the first five days he was treated "fairly well," but had to write an explanation for each entry in his personal and official appointment book. He said he must have written more than 10,000 words a day in longhand for five days.

Finally, Lt. Gen. Peter Gabor, chief of Hungarian political police, told him yesterday afternoon he was being released. The Hungarian warned Jacobson he had been guilty of indiscretion, but was "not quite an agent."

Jacobson said he was asked about alleged activities of the AJDC in helping Hungarian Jews leave the country illegally, and about relations with Robert A. Vogler, an American official of the International Telephone and Telegraph Corporation, and Edgar Sanders, a British official of the corporation. Vogler and Sanders have been held by Hungarian police for nearly six weeks. The two are accused of turning the Hungarian subsidiary of the corporation into a spy and sabotage organization.

Jacobson told police he did not know Vogler and Sanders. Jacobson said that during the questioning he referred several times

Says Excise Taxes Have Depressing Effect On Sales

Washington, Dec. 28—(AP)—Secretary of Commerce Sawyer told the White House today that wartime-imposed excise taxes are having a "depressing effect upon retail sales."

That, he said, "is clear from the great number of complaints" made to him in conferences with businessmen during a personal survey of business conditions he made over the country last summer and fall.

"In the case of jewelry, furs, luggage, admissions, etc., the effects are, in specific cases, very serious," he commented in a letter sent presidential assistant John R. Steelman for the information of President Truman.

The cabinet officer's opinions, aired in a 2,700-word letter and 12,000-word report made public with White House approval, appeared in line with reports that the president will favor some excise tax cuts, but ask increased levies elsewhere to avert a revenue loss.

Sawyer on the basis of talks with 3,000 businessmen in various parts of the country, said the American businessman's No. 1 desire today is "tax relief."

Higher and longer-lasting unemployment compensation benefits got leading mention from the 1,000 labor leaders and public officials Sawyer said he talked to on his 15,000 miles of travel.

H. Allen, Author,
Dies Unexpectedly
Of Heart Attack

Miami, Fla., Dec. 28—(AP)—Harvey Allen, author of the best seller "Anthony Adverse" and many other books, died unexpectedly at his home of a heart attack today. He was 60 years old.

Allen's wife, Mrs. Ann Andrews Allen, found the noted author's body on the bathroom floor about noon (CST) today.

Dr. Franz Stewart, local heart specialist, said he was summoned to the Allen home but efforts to revive Allen failed. It was believed he had suffered a heart attack while preparing to shave.

At the time of his death he was working on a sequel to his book "Toward the Morning," one of a series he was writing on pre-revolutionary times in the United States.

Although Allen was one of the most prolific writers of his time, his fame with the reading public rested largely with the 1000-page "Anthony Adverse" which he started writing in Bermuda in 1932 and completed in 1933.

Pope Pius Tells
Diplomats Vatican
Force For Peace

Vatican City, Dec. 28—(AP)—Pope Pius XII declared in an exchange of New Year's greetings with diplomats today that his tiny Vatican state, with a war-potential of zero, was an incalculable force for peace.

The Pope spoke in French to the representatives of some 40 nations in the consistorial hall.

"The war potential of this minuscule state (the Vatican) is zero," said the Pope, yet "this bit of earth, chosen by Providence, is by its moral value, by the force and extent of its irradiations, one of the hearths around which gravitates the history of the world, a reality beyond which all the evolution of the past would not be anything but an inexplicable enigma."

His "potentiality for peace (is) incalculable," he added.

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\$75 Is Average Savings Of U.S. Families In 1949

Washington, Dec. 28—(AP)—If your family winds up the year with \$75 left from its income, it will be doing medium well by American standards.

At least that's the way it looked today from a new federal reserve board report on consumer finances.

Board calculations, based on 1948 data compiled in a survey this year, showed:

1. The median or middle-sized income of the nation's 50,500,000 "spending units"—mostly meaning families living together and pooling incomes for living costs—was \$2,840.

2. The middle-sized saving—meaning money left after current expenses, not including purchase of homes—was \$75. On a percentage basis, it was 3.5 per cent of income received.

Actually, 31 out of each 100 family units spent more than their incomes—drawing on nest eggs or credit. Another six broke even. The remaining 63 managed to, wind up with some savings.

Traffic Expert Advocates Raising City Speed Limits

Champaign, Ill., Dec. 28—(AP)—A University of Illinois traffic expert says auto speed limits in American cities belong to the "Model-T days."

Prof. C. C. Wiley of the college of engineering believes posted auto speed limits in cities are too low and that motorists ignore the signs. He says adequate speed limits, high enough to cover normal traffic operations, would expedite traffic.

Wiley has just completed a survey of speed limits in the Champaign-Urbana area.

"Traffic engineers have long observed that modern traffic tends to run at speeds which the motorists themselves consider to be reasonable and safe, irrespective of any posted limits, Wiley said.

Some of Wiley's observations on traffic behavior are:

1. Traffic consistently ignores posted speed limits and even the absence of speed limit signs and runs at speeds which the drivers consider reasonable, convenient and safe under existing conditions.

2. Drivers do not operate by the speedometer but by the conditions they meet.

3. The general public gives little attention to what speed limits are posted.

Rita Is Mother
Of 5½ Pound Girl

Lausanne, Switzerland, Dec. 28—(AP)—A 5½-pound princess was born today to screen star Rita Hayworth and her husband of seven months, the Moslem Prince Aly Khan. Happily, Aly announced: "Yes, everybody is all right."

Claude Payot, handling the baby's public relations, said tonight both mother and daughter are "doing extremely well, despite a long and difficult birth."

Congratulations streamed in upon the parents.

The child was named Yasmin, the Persian word for the jasmine flower from which perfume is made in southern France—where her parents were married May 27 after an international romance.

"She is a very gracious, delightful little girl with harmonious features and tiny wisps of black hair," said Miss Olga Besson, head nurse of the exclusive Montchoisi clinic.

OKAYS SALE OF STOCK
Washington, Dec. 28—(AP)—The securities and exchange commission today approved plans of Continental Gas and Electric Corp., Chicago to buy 270,000 shares of \$10 par common stock in Iowa Power and Light Co., Des Moines. The Iowa utility will use proceeds to pay construction expenses.

ready, but that some work remains to be done on the budget and economic messages.

to a medal given him by the Hungarian government in 1948 in recognition of his organization's relief activities. Each time he was told, "that was last year."

When he was released Hungarian officials admonished him that "all this intelligence activity of the United States is predicated on the American desire to wage offensive war against the people's democracies" and that AJDC "should not become involved in all this espionage."

He said he is returning to his family in the United States as soon as possible. His wife and two children are in Chicago. He is a native of Buffalo, N.Y.

Jacobson was arrested soon after crossing the Hungarian border after a recent visit to the United States. He was driven to Budapest under guard in an automobile with the curtains drawn.

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GE Announces It Will Break With UE, Ousted By CIO

New York, Dec. 28—(AP)—The General Electric company announced tonight that it will break off contractual relations with the United Electrical, Radio and Machine Workers of America when the present contract expires next April 1.

The union recently was expelled from the CIO on the ground that it was communist led. It now is engaged in a representation dispute with the CIO-sponsored international United Electrical, Radio and Machine Workers.

George H. Pfeif, G. E. manager of union relations, said the contract cancellation notice was served because of this dispute.

Pfeif said in a letter to the former CIO union that "it would not be proper for us to run any risk of appearing to be unfairly favoring one side or the other by allowing our present national contract with the UE to be extended past its termination date on April 1, 1950."

The company's action affects some 125,000 workers in about 100 plants throughout the country.

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WORTHY OF A CIVIC CELEBRATION
Cities are judged to a considerable extent by their business districts, which should put Jacksonville in line for a Class A rating when the last vestiges of construction are hauled away and the new loop pavement is accepted from the contractor. Right now in the midst of winter the new pavement and allied improvements probably do not show up to best advantage. Completion of the smaller details of the big project, and a few spring rains, will make the entire loop district sparkle with a new look. Even now the area has an attractive appearance compared to this time a year ago when the old creosote wood blocks were in use, ready to pop out of place at the least suggestion of moisture.

Many business establishments were discommoded while the loop storm sewer and pavement were under construction. In some instances business firms were practically stymied while the operations went forward. The general public found it difficult to get around, but all that is changed now. The pavements are usable though the entire project has not been polished off.

The new pavement on the loop streets and accompanying improvements represent an expenditure by the city and property owners of several hundred thousand dollars. Everyone is glad that the job is about finished. It would seem that a celebration is in order—a civic event in which the business men and public could join, commemorating a new era for the loop district which endured rough street surfaces for years.

Spring is only a few months away. That would be an ideal time to officially dedicate the loop improvement. Stores and other establishments which used the back alleys for avenues of approach for several months could blossom out in a special sales event. The public should be ceremoniously reintroduced to a section of its business district which, after a face-lifting, is ready to present its most attractive appearance in many years.

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White Hall VFW Auxiliary Plans County Council

White Hall—The V.F.W. Auxiliary met Monday night at the Griswold Annex, at which time plans were made for the County Council of the V.F.W., which will be held here on Sunday, Jan. 15, at the I.O.O.F. hall. More than one hundred members of the district will be present. A chicken dinner will be served at noon by members of the local Auxiliary. A social meeting will be held Jan. 12, with Mrs. Edith Bishop and Miss Dorothy M. Young in charge of the chili supper. Mr. and Mrs. Richard Shirley has as their guests for the Christmas holidays Mr. and Mrs. Richard Shirley and two children, Patricia and Richard, Jr., of Carlinville. Those present for the Christmas dinner were Mrs. Minnie Grimes, Miss Emma Harvey, Mrs. Carrie Worcester and Frank Weis, in addition to the Shirley family.

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THE DOCTOR SAYS Parents Should Fondle Babies—But Not Too Much

By Edwin P. Jordan, M.D.
Written for NEA Service
A few years ago the late Dr. C. Anderson Aldrich and Mrs. Aldrich wrote a book called "Babies Are Human Beings," which I hope is still in babies should not all be treated alike. The main theme is that because their individual personalities would have little chance to develop. There is practically nothing so bound up with tradition and prejudice as the care of babies. Anyone and everyone offers free advice on how the baby should be fed, clothed, and how it should be trained. This advice is given with the best of intentions but usually comes from a strange mixture of what grandmother did, what I did, and what somebody's aunt said. Perfectly Proper. One question which the Aldriches discuss is about fondling or loving babies. Conscientious mothers often ask whether fondling is proper. For some reason they sometimes feel that it may be wrong for babies to be rocked, hugged or mothered, and that the infant in order to be healthy must be raised as practically "untouched by human hands." Everyone thrives on some affection and probably infants most of all. Of course, it is good to fondle babies—good for the baby and good for the parents. This does not mean using dangerous roughness or giving the child an infection, like a cold. It is not good, of course, for a baby to have indiscriminate fondling by friends and relatives. Like everything else, this matter can be overdone. The more people who come in close contact with the baby the greater the chance of giving the infant some infection. Common sense—which is perhaps rather uncommon—should be the attitude to take towards infants. Dr. and Mrs. Aldrich rendered a great service when they wrote this book based on their professional and personal experience.

Note: Dr. Jordan is unable to answer individual questions from readers. However, each day he will answer one of the most frequently asked questions in his column.

The Doctor Answers

Question: What causes everything to turn black when I stoop or bend over?
Answer: One possibility is a fairly rare condition known as carotid sinus syncope. This condition, as well as other possibilities, can only be determined by careful examination.

SOCIAL SECURITY AND YOU

I have worked for 12 years on a job that was covered by the Social Security Act. This year I went into business for myself. How do I go about getting back the social security taxes I have paid? The taxes which you have paid are not returnable to you. However, since you have been employed for at least 10 full years under the law, you will be eligible for a retirement benefit when you become 65. In the event that you should die before attaining that age, benefits would be payable to your survivors. I've read a lot in the papers about changing the Social Security Act. When is this going to be done? Any change in the Social Security Act can be made only by the Congress of the United States. Congress has considered changes in the law and no doubt some changes will be effected in the future. I have a bowling alley and the boys I hire to set pins usually don't have social security numbers. When the time comes to file my social security returns I find that I don't have numbers for all of the boys and it is impossible to file a complete return. Is there anything I can do about this? There certainly is. The best practice is to keep on hand a small supply of applications for social security numbers (Form SS-5). Then when you hire a boy who cannot show his social security card, have him fill out one of the applications. Send the application in to the nearest social security office and ask them to let you know what number has been assigned to the boy. You will subsequently receive notification of his number and your returns need never be incomplete. Note: A representative of the Springfield Social Security office is in the Employment office in Jacksonville every Thursday morning from 10 to 12. People can call then for help or information about social security.

Final Rites For Former Greene County Resident

Jerseyville—Funeral services for Edward B. Brown, aged resident of this vicinity, were held Wednesday at 2 p.m. from the Jacoby Brothers' Funeral Home in this city. Rev. David Maxton, pastor of the Jerseyville Presbyterian church, officiated, and interment was in Oak Grove cemetery. He was the son of the late Samuel E. and Matilda Kirby Brown and was born Aug. 3, 1865, in Greene county. He died this city Dec. 25 at 2:25 p.m., aged 84 years. He is survived by one daughter, Mrs. Peter Wynnham of Greenfield; one son, Circuit Clerk George E. Brown of Jerseyville; his widow, Mrs. Tina Brown; five grandchildren, one great-granddaughter; one sister, Mrs. G. E. Meldrum of Carrollton.

Funny How Our Own Babies Are the Best Looking



Boyle's Column

Poor Man's Philosopher On Albert Einstein

By Hal Boyle
New York—(AP)—Albert Einstein is a man who plumbs the secrets of the atom and the universe—and yet, at 70, he is regarded by many as the finest mind of our time. It is a measure of the humility of the greatest living mathematician in the world that he cheerfully admitted in 1944 theories of Einstein and those of his had to call in a tax expert to help him figure how much he owes Uncle Sam. But money always has been a matter of comparative indifference to this "scientist's scientist." He once used a \$1,500 check from the Rockefeller foundation as a bookmark—lost the book. He gave his 1921 Nobel prize award money to charity. Now at 70 Einstein, regarded by many as the finest mind of our time, has crowned a noble life with a new theory of gravitation and science, in the greatest living mathematician in the world, he cheerfully admitted in 1944 theories of Einstein and those of his had to call in a tax expert to help him figure how much he owes Uncle Sam. But money always has been a matter of comparative indifference to this "scientist's scientist." He once used a \$1,500 check from the Rockefeller

Vows Pledged By Miss Sula Smith, John P. Spencer

The marriage of Miss Sula Smith of Murrayville and John P. Spencer of Roodhouse was solemnized in a single-ring ceremony performed Saturday at 6 p.m. in the Murrayville Baptist church by Rev. E. L. Smart. The bride's brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. V. Ray Wankel, served as attendants. The bride wore a brown suit with light blue accessories and a corsage of red and white roses. Mrs. Spencer is a teacher in the Murrayville grade school. She is the daughter of Mrs. Elsie Smith of Murrayville and the late Moses J. Smith. Her husband's parents are Mr. and Mrs. Arthur M. Spencer of Roodhouse. He is engaged in farming. The couple plan to reside on the Earl Hall farm, east of Murrayville. The higher up a mountain one goes the lower the temperature of water will be when it starts to boil.

EXCHANGE VOWS



MR. AND MRS. RALPH WARD

Vows of marriage were exchanged in a double-ring ceremony Dec. 17 by Miss Bernice Vasey, daughter of Mrs. Grover Vasey of this city and the late Grover Vasey, and Ralph Ward, son of Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Ward of near Jacksonville.

LEAVES FOR TEXAS

Mrs. Annetta B. Scott, 283 Sandusky street, has gone to Austin, Tex., to spend a few weeks with her son, Charles H. Scott.

INJURED IN FALL

Carrollton—Mrs. Henry Cohn, Jr., of White Hall, wife of the manager of the Carrollton Farm Supply store, was seriously injured when she fell at the home of a friend in St. Louis. She was taken to the New Jewish hospital in St. Louis, where it was discovered she had a fractured vertebrae.

All civilization originated with colored races, according to the Encyclopedia Britannica.

Cat Shows Up At Home After 1,000 Mile Trek

Chicago, Dec. 28—(AP)—Rusty, an orange and white cat, is a most remarkable animal, according to Joseph J. Toste, his wife and their three daughters. Toste, a grocer, moved his family to suburban Forest Park last September from Belmont, Mass., a Boston suburb, and left Rusty with his father in Belmont. Rusty, he said, showed up at his home last week. Toste said he was so amazed he telephoned his father, John Toste. He said his father told him Rusty left his home Sept. 28, soon after the family had moved to Forest Park. "He couldn't believe the cat found us," Toste said. "He thought it had just ran away." According to the Toste family, Rusty apparently did run away—and without ever having been in the Chicago area before—traveled about 1,000 miles from Massachusetts to Forest Park. Some of Toste's neighbors have told him it must be just a similar cat. But Toste's wife, Christina and their daughters, Mildred, 11, Johanna, 8, and Lucresia, 10, insist the cat is the one they had in Belmont. They back up their claim by pointing out an old injury to one of Rusty's legs and by photographs of the cat they had in Belmont. Further they say, the cat knows his name, sleeps on Mildred's bed just as it did in Belmont and has other habits which are identical. Dr. W. A. Young, president of the American Cat Association and director of the anti-cruelty society, didn't scoff at their story. "It sounds beyond comprehension that the cat could have found them in all America," Young said. "But I certainly wouldn't say it couldn't happen. A cat's sense are incredibly keen and, although it sounds incredible, it's possible."

Funeral Services For Julia E. King Are Held Monday

Carrollton—Funeral services for Mrs. Julia Etta King of Eldred, who died at Our Saviour's hospital in Jacksonville, were held Monday at 2 p.m. in the Mehl and Son Funeral Home. The services were conducted by Rev. Laurel Grigg, pastor of the Baptist church and burial was in the Mulberry cemetery. Two songs were sung by Mrs. Harry Carter, Mrs. Elmer Williams, Mrs. Anna Hubbard and Miss Raydie Dowdall, with Mrs. Richard Giller as accompanist. The flowers were cared for by Miss Dorothy Graham of Springfield, Mrs. Forrest Smith of Kane, Miss Lora Newton of Rockbridge, Mrs. C. Jennings of Greenfield, Mrs. Muri Bushnell of White Hall and Miss Virginia Graham of this city. Pall bearers were Muri Bushnell of White Hall, Donald Newton of Centralia, C. Jennings of Greenfield, Harold T. King, David Graham and George A. Graham of this city. Funeral services for William Coates, 85, who died Saturday night at his home in this city, were held Monday at 2 p.m. at the Church of Christ in Kane. Services were in the charge of T. Rody of Kane. Burial was in the Jalappa cemetery. Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Robson and daughter Linda, 210 West Beecher avenue, entertained at a turkey dinner on Christmas day. Their guests were Mr. and Mrs. Otto Robson, Mr. and Mrs. Ollie Moore and son Kenneth, Mr. and Mrs. Bud Long of New Berlin, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Randolph and Lloyd Robson.

ENDS HOLIDAY VISIT
Miss Betty Ann Green, who has been spending the Christmas holidays at her home with Attorney and Mrs. Hugh Green and family, 711 West Douglas avenue, has returned to Bloomington, Ind., where she is employed as first assistant dietitian at the University of Indiana.

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Orleans Woman's Club Names New 1950 Officers

Officers were elected by the Orleans Woman's Country club Tuesday afternoon when the group was entertained at Hamilton's confectionery by Mrs. Jack Andrews.

Those chosen were Mrs. Hildie Adams, president; Miss Euphemia Adams, vice president; Mrs. Florence Cox, secretary; and Mrs. Albert Cox, assistant secretary.

The club prayer was led by Mrs. Harold K. Adams. It was announced during the business session that Mrs. James Heaton would entertain the club at her home on frolic day, Jan. 24.

The program for the afternoon was in the charge of Mrs. Hubert Norfleet, who presented an interesting report on "Better Living with a Home Freezer." A round table discussion on "Methods and Materials Used in Freezing Foods" followed.

Following roll call, the meeting was adjourned. Refreshments were served during the social hour.

The next meeting will be held Dec. 10 with Mrs. Clark Stevenson.

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HE SURE MEETS SOME PIPS AT THAT CLUB... WHERE'D HE SAY THAT CARBUNCLE WAS? ON HIS ELBOW?

TRYING TO BURN THE MIDNIGHT OIL—WHEN WHO COMES IN BUT THE STAY-LATE WETWICKS...

Lack Of Visit Started War

Philadelphia — (P) — An ex-Nazi army officer, now a student at the University of Pennsylvania, says Hitler never would have started war against the United States if he had ever been to this country.

Hans Oehmke, 24, came to the United States as an exchange student under the Army Department's re-education program. He's majoring in comparative languages.

"This country is so big," Oehmke says. "Now I understand what my father said when the war broke out. He had been to America on business in 1938, and when war was declared, he said: 'If the Americans are changing their industry into military production, we can never win.'"

CARROLLTON

Carrollton—Merrill Reynolds left Tuesday for Lander, Wyo., having spent the weekend here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ross Reynolds. Other guests Christmas day at the Reynolds home were Mr. and Mrs. Lyndell Reynolds and daughters of this city.

Mr. Harriet Johnson of St. Louis and Mr. and Mrs. Edward Grueter of Alton are spending the holidays here with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ir-

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Byland spent Christmas in Rockbridge at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Joutett.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Powell of Dallas, Texas were honored Friday evening at a party given by Mrs. Al-an Grant at her home.

Miss Martha Dell Bishop of Alton is spending the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Bishop.

Miss Lucille Dowdall of Alton, Marwood Dowdall and Miss Virginia Dowdall of Normal are spending the holidays with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Dowdall.

Mr. and Mrs. John Byland were Christmas guests in Kane at the home of Mrs. Byland's parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. Turner.

Mr. and Mrs. Lyndell Reynolds and daughters left Monday for Kansas City, where they will spend a few days with Mrs. Reynolds' parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Lamb.

Mrs. Ethel Whitlock of Dixon is spending the holiday with her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Alva Darr.

Judge and Mrs. Julian Hutchens and son left Monday to spend the holiday in Macon, Georgia with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Barr went to Decatur Monday where he entered a hospital to undergo surgery.

Mr. and Mrs. H. T. McAdams and daughters of Bethalto spent the weekend here at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Byland.

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Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Long of New Berlin; Mr. and Mrs. Albert Birdsell of Springfield spent the week-end in Chicago with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Prill and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Sauers of Dawson spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Walter Brown.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Short and Edwin spent the holidays with Mr. and Mrs. George Short and son in Wichita, Kans.

Mrs. Ben Roesch returned to her home in California after spending several weeks.

Mrs. John McCullough is a patient at Passavant hospital in Jacksonville.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Roesch spent Monday with her sister, Mrs. Nita Brown in Peoria.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Sauers of were Christmas dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Garland Hunt and Barbara in Springfield.

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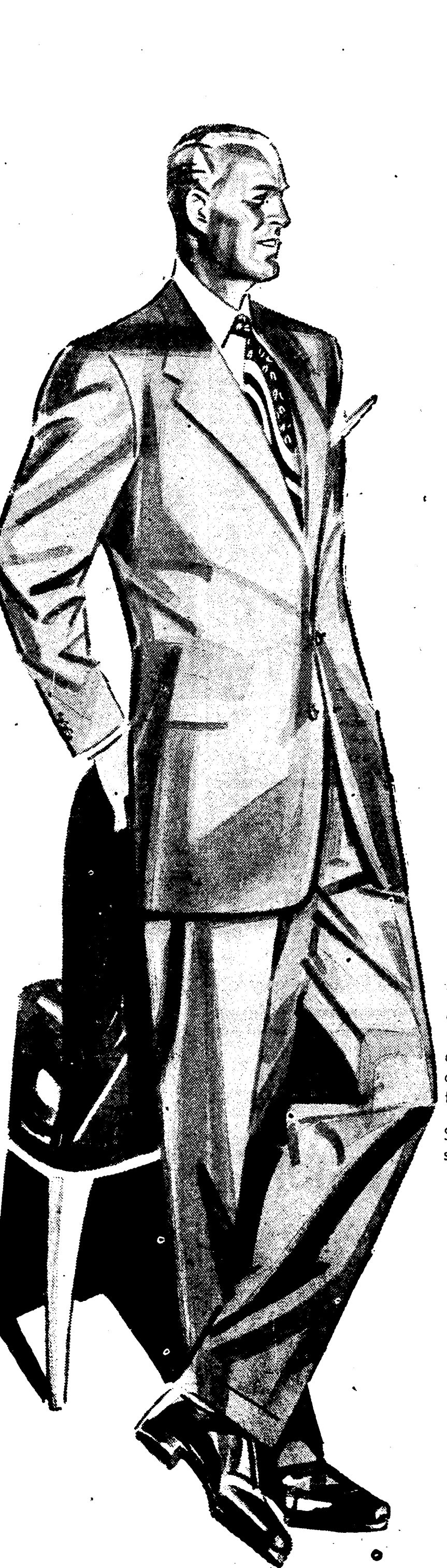
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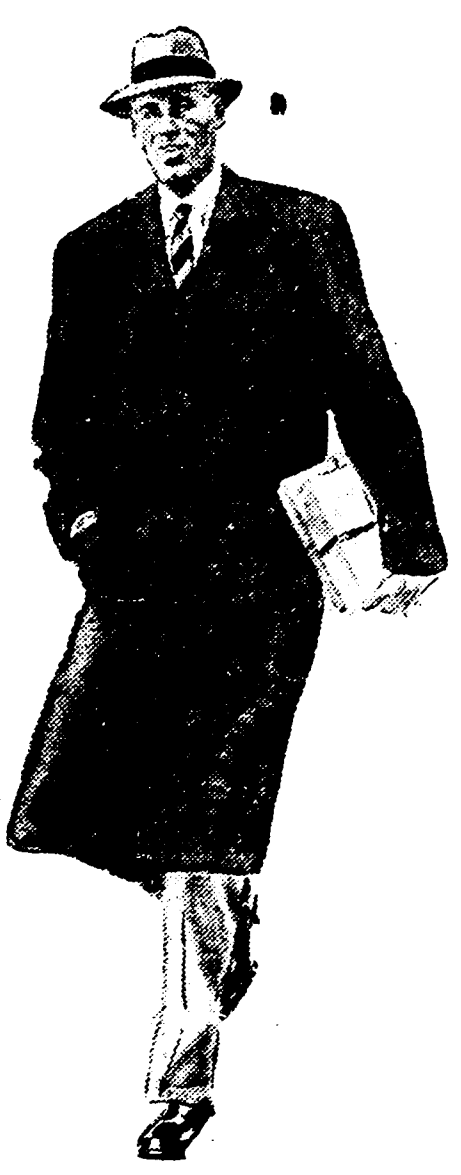
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1 lb. ground smoked ham	1 c. dry bread crumbs
4 Tbsp. chili sauce	1 c. cond. cream of mushroom soup
2 Tbsp. minced onion	1/4 c. water
3 Tbsp. minced green pepper	1/2 tsp. salt
	pinch of pepper

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Ceremony Unites Miss Elaine Fair, Richard Vaniter

Miss Elaine Fair, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Fair of Beardstown, and Richard Vaniter, son of Mrs. William Vaniter of Jacksonville, were united in marriage at 8 o'clock Saturday evening at the home of the bride's parents, by the Rev. T. E. Morrison of Decatur, who was formerly pastor of the First Baptist church of Beardstown.

Miss Patricia Lemons of Beardstown, and Harold Rowland of Jacksonville attended the couple.

The bride wore a blue and grey gabardine suit with black accessories and a corsage of white carnations. Miss Lemons wore a grey suit with black accessories and corsage of white carnations.

Following the ceremony a reception was held for the members of the immediate families. During the reception Mrs. Calvin Chute of Chambersburg, sister of the bride, and Mrs. LaVerne Chute of Versailles, cousin of the bride, sang "O Promise Me," accompanied at the piano by Mrs. LaVerne Chute.

The couple spent a short wedding trip in Alton and will later reside in Jacksonville.

Mrs. Vaniter attended Beardstown schools and is now employed at the Wells-Lamont glove factory at Beardstown.

Mr. Vaniter attended Jacksonville schools and served during the war with the U. S. Navy. He is now employed by the E. J. Manz Company in Jacksonville.

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DeMotte Meditation Chapel Is Dedicated

The DeMotte Memorial Meditation Chapel, located at the northwest corner of the Annie Merger Chapel on the MacMurray College campus, was dedicated Tuesday afternoon, Dec. 27, at 4 o'clock.

This small chapel, with a seating capacity of 25, was furnished by the DeMotte family, descendants of William H. DeMotte, who was president of MacMurray College 1868-1875.

Miss Amelia DeMotte, youngest daughter of President DeMotte, acted for the family in the selection of furnishings, consisting of an altar and reredos, with bronze cross and candlesticks, a lectern, prie-dieu, and pews. The floor is carpeted in gray. The walls are also gray.

Only members of the family and a few intimate friends were present. Everyone was impressed by the beauty and appropriateness of the furnishings.

The service was led by Professor McKendree M. Blair, Dr. Sherwood Eddy delivered an address on President DeMotte, in which he briefly sketched his career and described him as a fine scholar and a Christian saint.

He emphasized the fact that President DeMotte was preeminently a teacher; he taught more classes than any other of the presidents of MacMurray College. At the same time he had a singularly sweet and noble character, influencing the students for good to an unusual degree. He was undoubtedly more Christ-like than any other of the presidents, the speaker stated. He kept the College true to the high standards of scholarship which had been characteristic of it from its founding, and with courage and enterprise carried on the work of the College in spite of great financial difficulties occasioned largely because of the destruction of the college building by fire twice during his administration.

President Accepts Chapel

President McClelland accepted the Chapel in behalf of the College, stressing the importance of religion in education and emphasizing the value of the Meditation Chapel in the life of the college community. He concluded as follows:

"What may be effected in the hearts of those who come here to meditate and pray is indicated in the following poem, written by Archbishop Trench:

'Lord, what a change within us one short hour
Spent in thy presence will avail to make!

What heavy burdens from our bosoms take!
What parched grounds refresh as with a shower!

We kneel, and all around us seems to lower:
We rise, and all, the distant and the near.

Stand forth in sunny outline, brave and clear:
We kneel, how weak! We rise, how full of power!

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Lutheran Ladies' Guild Has Party, Musical Program

A beautiful Christmas program was presented for the members of the Ladies' Guild of Salem Lutheran church at their Christmas party.

Rev. Klinkermann opened the program with the reading of the account of the Saviour's birth. A number of musical selections were then presented. "While Shepherds Watched Their Flocks by Night," sung by Kenneth and Harland Jording, accompanied by Bob Engelbrecht; "Adorate Fideles," sung by Mildred Klinkermann and Sally Davidson, accompanied by Mrs. R. H. Davidson; "Silent Night" and "O Come All Ye Faithful," played on two pianos by Mrs. R. H. Davidson and Bob Engelbrecht; "The Cradle Hymn," sung by a group of children of the third and fourth grades of Salem Lutheran School with Linda Wallace as soloist; "O Little Town of Bethlehem," sung by Joyce Ann Muehlhausen, accompanied by Mrs. R. H. Davidson; and "A group of Christmas carols, played by Carol Amundson and David Ehler, clarinets, and Richard Ommen, trombone; "Gesu Bambino," sung by Mildred Klinkermann and Sally Davidson; "O Tannenbaum," sung in German by Rev. Uhlig and "O Little Town of Bethlehem" was sung and signed by the deaf; "White Christmas," sung by Joyce Muehlhausen, accompanied by Mrs. C. H. Muehlhausen.

The members of the Guild concluded the program with the singing of a number of Christmas hymns. After the program all the members enjoyed a gift exchange. Refreshments were served from a beautifully decorated tea table. Mrs. P. J. Davidson serving as hostess. Mrs. Larry Omundson was in charge of the program with Mrs. R. H. Davidson, Mrs. Walter Deffner, Mrs. O. J. Klinkermann, Mrs. C. H. Muehlhausen assisting. Mrs. Leland Perbix was chairman of the refreshment committee, assisted by Mrs. John Ehler, Mrs. Wm. C. Meyer, Mrs. Lambert Brockhouse, and Mrs. Earl Boucher. Mrs. Vm. Sheeley and Mrs. E. J. Korsmeyer were in charge of decorations.

FOR EVERY TRUE BELIEVER

"This address to the Deity, I would remind you, was not written by a Christian, but by a Hindu, and yet it might well have been written by a follower of Christ. The sentiment of the address is that Christianity is not the only religion. Our religion is the highest and best in that it contains the clearest revelation of God and of His will, but there is a mystic element in religion which is common to all faiths. Peter, the Jewish Christian, said of a devout pagan, 'I perceive that God is no respecter of persons but in every nation he that feareth Him, and worketh righteousness is accepted with Him.' In prayer and in their aspirations for higher and nobler living, all true believers in God become one, whatever may be their race or nationality or creed.

"It is hoped that in this Memorial Chapel any student, whether Jew, Catholic, Buddhist, or Christian, may enter into fellowship with God and find the forgiveness of sins, the peace of God which passeth all understanding, and the strength and courage to walk in the way that leads to life everlasting.

"It is also hoped that everyone who worships here may enter into the higher unity of the Spirit, where all differences are transcended and all become One with Christ, as well as with other believers in a world-wide fellowship of faith."

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Hart Community Club Has Meeting

Winchester—The program for the coming year was outlined at the December meeting of the Hart's Community club. Special highlights of the meeting were a Christmas tree and grab bag gift exchange. Santa Claus visited the group, presenting treats to the children.

The tree was arranged by the program committee, consisting of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Cragdock and Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Summers. The refreshment committee was comprised of Mr. and Mrs. James E. Hart, Mr. and Mrs. Dean Keh and Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Erixon.

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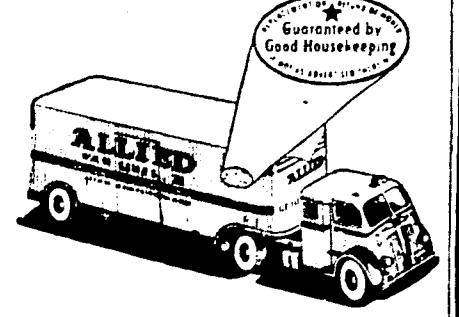
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Dinner Marks Marriage Date. Two Birthdays

The silver wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Chester Hungerford, the forty-third birthday of Clifton Hungerford, and tenth birthday of Norman Wilkinson were celebrated on Christmas day at the home of Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Wilkinson, east of the city, where a family dinner was served.

Mr. and Mrs. Hungerford were presented with a unique gift in the form of a silver tree, bearing silver dollars and coins, made by his sister, Mrs. Leland Roberts.

In the afternoon a gift exchange was held and carols were sung around the decorated Christmas tree. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Chester Hungerford, Mr. and Mrs. Les Chappes and daughter Nancy, Mr. and Mrs. Leland Roberts and daughter Joann of Alton; Mr. and Mrs. Henry Bolton and daughter Virginia, Mrs. Opal Freitag and children Bobby and Ruth, Mr. and Mrs. Clifton Hungerford and sons Orval and Frankie Gene, Mr. and Mrs. John Gillis and Mrs. Maggie Hungerford, all of this city.

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2 Wabash Trains Make Farewell Runs Friday

Postal officials were busy Wednesday figuring out ways and means to dispatch mail to and from Jacksonville after Friday of this week, when the Wabash railroad will discontinue operation of passenger trains No. 2 and 3, between Decatur and Hannibal.

The chief postal clerk from Chicago was in conference Tuesday with officials at the Jacksonville post office. It is understood that another truck route will be established between Jacksonville and Springfield, and will be extended to Pittsfield, where it will connect with another mail truck to Hannibal, Mo.

Plans are also being formulated to extend a truck route from Mt. Sterling through Bluffs to Jacksonville. A considerable volume of mail received at Mt. Sterling is trucked to that city from Macomb. Much of the parcel post mail for Jacksonville will be delivered over the Gulf, Mobile & Ohio railroad.

The Wabash trainmaster has posted notices along the line that the last two remaining passenger trains on the local line will be discontinued Dec. 31, which means that they will make their farewell runs Friday.

No. 3 westbound arrives at the local station at 7:48 a. m., traveling to Hannibal where it turns around, and makes the run back to Decatur as No. 2, arriving in this city at 5:56 p. m. The passenger trains have used a steam locomotive for the past year, but most of the freight trains on the Wabash are diesel powered.

The Wabash was granted permission by the Illinois Commerce Commission to discontinue passenger service after a series of hearings at which evidence was submitted showing the trains were operating in the red.

Miss Carolyn Sidener, also a cousin of the bride, was flower girl. The ring bearer was Joe Garrison. Serving as usher were Oran Holmer and Ralph Garrison.

Following the ceremony, a reception was held at the home of the bride's parents, where serving was done by Mrs. Angelo Abluton, the bridegroom's sister, and Miss Lucille Swagerty.

The couple have since returned from their wedding trip and are now residing on a farm two miles west of Virden.

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Holiday Guests Entertained At Onken Residence

Chapin—The home of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Onken was the scene of a pleasant Christmas gathering. Their guests included John Onken, Dearborn, Mich.; William and Jane Onken, Cynthia Beth Onken of Milwaukee, Wis., Dr. and Mrs. Jerome Stry, Baltimore, Md. Mr. and Mrs. Carl Ellenberger, Mr. and Mrs. Willard Wendell, Rockford, Ill. Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Watkins, Petersburg, Mr. and Mrs. Norma Bullard and daughters Linda and Anita.

Mr. and Mrs. Omer Brockhouse, Mr. and Mrs. Otto Staake and Miss Maude White were Christmas guests of Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Brockhouse. Dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Thompson on Christmas day were Mr. and Mrs. Alan Fry and Mr. and Mrs. Sam Vorhees of Jacksonville.

Guests of Mrs. Gertie Goffinett for Christmas were Mr. and Mrs. Junior Goffinett and sons Eddie and Larry; Mr. and Mrs. Warren Goffinett and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Sice of Jacksonville.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Johnson and daughter Gwendolyn spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. Herschel Orris of Arenzville.

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Births

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. John Dowland of Palmyra Wednesday at 2:45 a. m. at Passavant hospital.

Minister Accepts Call To Sterling

Jerseyville.—Rev. David B. Maxton has announced that he will move his family to Sterling on Jan. 17. Rev. Maxton recently tendered his resignation as pastor of the First Presbyterian church of this city to accept a call to the church at Sterling.

Rev. Maxton was installed as pastor of the Jerseyville church May 23, 1944, and during his service here the congregation has had a steady growth, a total of 209 members having been added to the church.

FROM NORTH DAKOTA

George Bolton of North Dakota is spending a few days visiting his son, Henry Bolton, east of this city.

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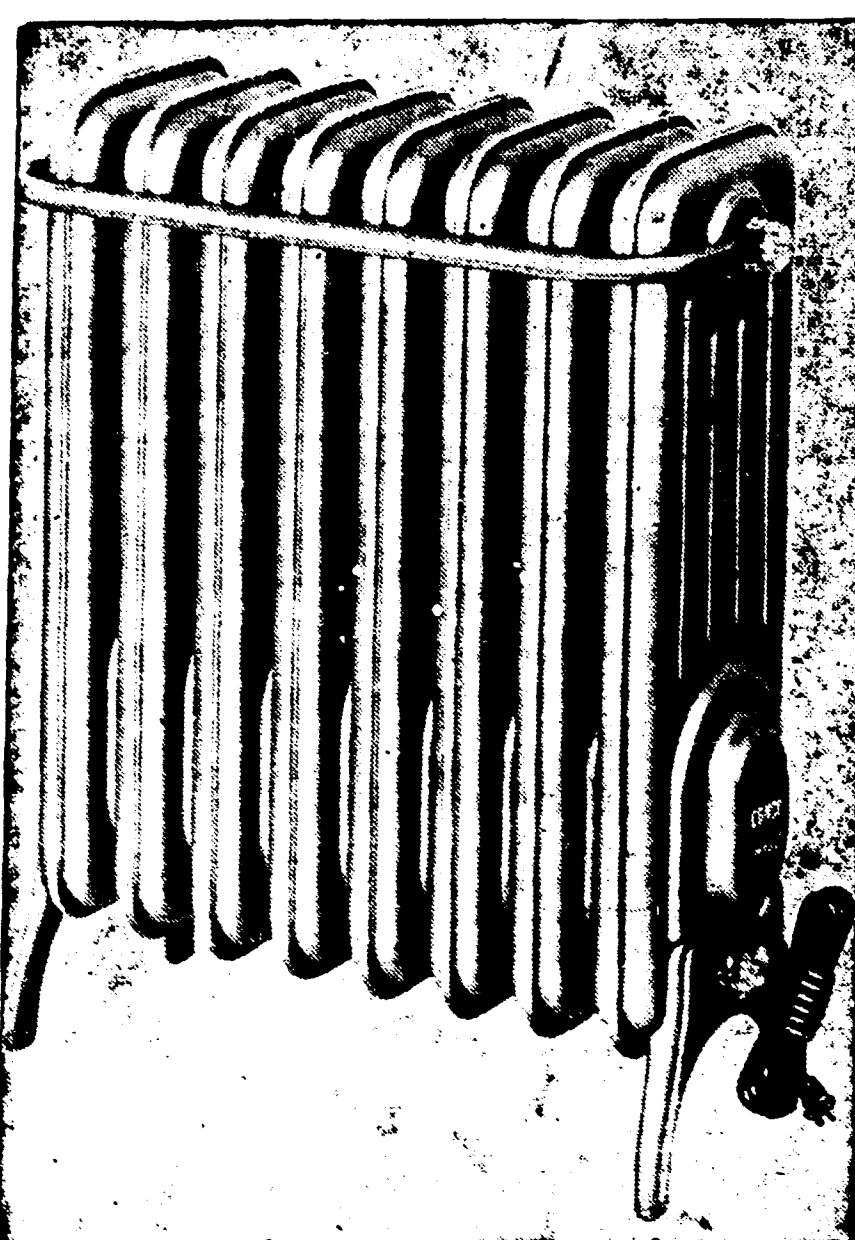
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CHICAGO LIVESTOCK MARKET REPORT

Chicago, Dec. 28.—(AP)—Hogs turned steady to 50 cents higher today while cattle were mixed and sheep unevenly steady to 25 cents higher. Medium to average-good steers and heifers were weak to \$1.00 a hundred pounds lower, bulls were strong to 25 cents higher, and the rest of the cattle category fully steady.

Most barrows and gilts grading good and choice fetched \$14.50 to \$16.50, the top going to \$16.75 for one load. Sows were \$11.00 to \$13.50 generally but a few light weights managed \$13.65. Clearance was complete.

A load of high-choice steers sold at \$40.50 and another at \$40.00, most good and low-choice steers and yearlings going at \$27.00 to \$35.00. But even at the lower range of \$21.00 to \$26.50 on medium to low-good steers and \$20.00 to \$27.00 on medium and good heifers, the liberal supply was found excessive and clearance was incomplete at the finish. Sausage bulls topped at \$20.00 and wealers at \$30.00.

Choice woolled lambs topped at \$24.00, their highest in more than a month, while shorn kinds topped at \$23.00, yearlings at \$19.00, and ewes at \$12.00.

Among the day's salable receipts were an estimated 15,000 hogs, 8,000 cattle, 500 calves, and 4,500 sheep.

CHICAGO CASH GRAIN

Chicago, Dec. 28.—(AP)—Cash wheat: No. 3 red, 209 1/2.

Corn: No. 4 yellow (old), 1.30 1/2; No. 3 yellow, 1.31 1/2; No. 4, 1.28 1/2.

Oats: No. 3 medium heavy white, 73.

Barley nominal; malting, 1.20-62; feed, 90-1.22.

Soybeans: none.

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Dates Of Coming Events

Dec. 29—Administrators sale of personal property, estate Elizabeth Massey, deceased, 4 mi. S. of Jacksonville, 1 p.m. Jeanette Story Adm. Harry Story, Attorney. Middendorf Bros. Auctions.

Dec. 30—Auction sale antique furniture and dishes, 12:30 p.m., 8 miles NW of Jacksonville. Florence Chalmers, owner. M. Beddingfield and C. Foreman, auctioneers.

Dec. 31—Rummage Sale back of jail. Group 5, Central Christian Church.

Jan. 2—Auction sale, 10:30 a.m. livestock, implements, 11 mi. south of Jacksonville. Sam Chaudoin, owner. Elvis Spencer, auct.

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Jan. 4—Closing out sale, livestock, machinery, 11 a.m. 5 mi. N.E. New Berlin. T. T. Wilson, owner. Luke J. Gaule, auctioneer.

Jan. 5—Closing out sale, 1 mi. S. of Jacksonville, 10:30 a.m. Livestock, implements. Robert W. Mallicoat, owner. Middendorf Bros. aucts.

Jan. 7—Thrift Shop at Congregational Church opens.

Jan. 7—Auction sale of real estate, 274 acre stock and grain farm, 4 1/2 mi. W. of Chapin, 10 a.m., S. door of court house, Jacksonville. Otis Taylor, owner. Middendorf Bros. aucts.

Jan. 12—Closing out sale, 5 mi. N.E. of Jacksonville 10:30 a.m. Livestock and implements. J. R. Burmeister, owner. Middendorf Bros. auct.

Jan. 18—Closing out sale 6 1/2 miles southeast of Alexander, 12:30 p.m. Lloyd Peters, owner. Middendorf Brothers, auctioneers.

There was little in the news to bolster wheat. Export business apparently was dull, and the government was showing no interest in the cash wheat market. The government bought no wheat yesterday in Chicago, Kansas City and Minneapolis.

Soybeans dipped more than two cents at times, mostly on lack of demand. Traders are disappointed over lack of soybean market enthusiasm in the face of heavy government purchases of fats and oils last week. Soybean weakness affected grains.

Receipts were: wheat 8 cars; soybeans 3; oats 5; rye none; barley 3; corn 3.

Wheat closed 1/2 lower to higher than the previous finish, March \$2.17-\$2.16 1/2; corn was 1/2 up to 1/2 down March \$1.31 1/2; oats were 1/2 to 1/2 lower, March 71 1/2; rye was 1/2 to 1/2 higher, May \$1.41 1/2; soybeans were unchanged to 1/2 down, March \$2.28 1/2-\$2.29, and lard was 5 to 20 cents a hundred pounds higher, Jan. \$10.57.

East St. Louis Livestock
National Stockyards, Ill., Dec. 28.—(AP)—(USDA)—Hogs 10,500; market steady to 25 lower than Tuesday's average, mostly steady on light hogs of 180-220 lbs; bulk of these 16.50 with considerable sprinkling 16.75 as top; 230-250 lbs 15.75-16.25; 260-300 lbs 14.50-15.50; 150-170 lbs 15.75-16.50; 100-130 lbs 14.50-15.50; sows under 400 lbs 12.75-13.50; heavier sows 11.00-12.50; stags 9.00-11.00; boars 6.00-9.50.

Cattle 2,500; calves 800; moderate early demand moving few medium to low good steers steady at 22.00-25.50; heifers and mixed yearlings strong with common and medium largely 17.00-23.00; few low good around 24.00; cows and bulls 50 cents higher; common and medium cows 14.75-16.25; few good cows 17.00; canners and cutters 11.50-14.50; medium and good bulls 18.00-19.00; cutter and common bulls 15.00-17.00; good and choice wealers steady to 1.00 higher; top on choice 39.00 for very few with good and choice largely 28.00-36.00; common and medium 18.00-27.00.

Sheep 3,500; few sales woolled lambs steady at 23.25-50; not enough done to establish market.

Markets At A Glance
New York, Dec. 28.—(AP)—Stocks—Higher; rails lead upturn. Bonds—Mixed; changes narrow. Cotton—Lower; New Orleans selling.

Chicago
Wheat—Mostly lower; lack of export demand.
Corn—Rallied to close firm; export reports.
Oats—Weak with wheat.
Hogs—Active and steady to 50 cents higher; top \$16.75.

Radio Program

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THURSDAY, DEC. 29

- 6:30 a.m.—WLDL Sign On
- 6:30 a.m.—Wake Up and Live
- 6:45 a.m.—Prairie Pioneers
- 6:55 a.m.—Market Summary
- 7:00 a.m.—Prairie Pioneers
- 7:30 a.m.—News
- 7:35 a.m.—Morning Melodies
- 7:45 a.m.—Sports Summary
- 7:50 a.m.—Chuck Wagon Tunes
- 8:00 a.m.—News Roundup
- 8:15 a.m.—Daily Dollar Man
- 8:30 a.m.—Hospital Time
- 8:45 a.m.—Chapel of the Air
- 9:00 a.m.—Grain Quotes
- 9:00 a.m.—News Summary
- 9:05 a.m.—Spotlight on a Star
- 9:15 a.m.—Streams in the Desert
- 9:30 a.m.—Concert Miniature
- 9:45 p.m.—Personality Time
- 10:00 a.m.—Under the Capital Dome
- 10:05 a.m.—Market Quotes; Music
- 10:13 a.m.—Grain Quotes
- 10:15 a.m.—Tin Pan Alley
- 10:30 a.m.—Bing Crosby
- 10:45 a.m.—Woman's Magazine
- 11:00 a.m.—News Summary
- 11:05 a.m.—Time Out
- 11:13 a.m.—Grain Quotes
- 11:15 a.m.—Prairie Pioneers
- 12:00 noon—Farm Front
- 12:05 a.m.—Market Summary
- 12:15 p.m.—Names in the News
- 12:20 p.m.—Classified Ads
- 12:30 p.m.—Noontime News
- 12:45 p.m.—Noontime Frolic
- 1:00 p.m.—Sacred Heart
- 1:15 p.m.—Farm and Home Review
- 1:30 p.m.—Hardin Pupils
- 1:45 p.m.—Request Time
- 2:00 p.m.—News Bulletins
- 2:05 p.m.—Request Time
- 3:30 p.m.—Off the Record
- 3:30 p.m.—Gospel of Grace
- 4:00 p.m.—News Summary
- 4:05 p.m.—Music
- 4:15 p.m.—Social Security
- 4:30 p.m.—Local News Bulletins
- 4:45 p.m.—Sign Off

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- 3:30 p.m.—Channel 263
- 4:45 p.m.—Show Case
- 5:00 p.m.—Hawaiian Serenade
- 5:15 p.m.—Jazz Man's Corner
- 5:30 p.m.—Sports Reel
- 5:45 p.m.—Scenic Rhythms
- 6:00 p.m.—News
- 6:05 p.m.—Teen Tunes Topics
- 6:45 p.m.—Three quarter melodies
- 7:00 p.m.—Basketball Tournament

To Plan Greene Co. 4-H Activities At Meeting Jan. 5

Carrollton—A meeting of all 4-H club leaders, assistant leaders, junior leaders and sponsors of the agricultural clubs in the township will be held in Farm Bureau hall Thursday, Jan. 5 at 7:30 p.m. The group will select the projects which will be offered this year and discuss county events and review regulations. Plans will also be made for increased participation in club work in 1950.

S. F. Riden of the animal science division of the University of Illinois will discuss "Poultry Management and Marketing Problems" with the Greene county farmers and homemakers at a meeting to be held Tuesday, Jan. 17 in the Court House in Carrollton.

"Greene Dollars," a movie depicting soil improvement practices, grass leuse utilization and pasture improvement will be shown at the legume grass kick-off meeting which will be held Monday, Jan. 9, at 7:30 p.m. in the court house. The legume grass program is being sponsored by the county extension program planning committee.

NOTICE OF EXAMINATION

Examination for the position of patrolman for the Jacksonville Police Department will be held at the City Hall, in Jacksonville, Ill., at 7:30 P.M., Jan. 24th, 1950. Persons wishing to take this examination may apply for application blanks from Chief of Police. Applications must be filed with the Chief of Police by Jan. 10, 1950.

Board of Fire and Police Commissioners

NOTICE OF CLAIM DATE

ESTATE OF GEORGE E. HOUSTON, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given to all persons that Monday, February 6, 1950, is the claim date in the estate of George E. Houston, Deceased, pending in the County Court of Morgan County, Illinois, and that claims may be filed against the said estate on or before said date without issuance of summons.

Sarah Katherine Houston
Robert W. Houston
Howard W. Houston
Executors
Vaught, Robinson & Foreman,
Attorneys.

NOTICE OF CLAIM DATE

ESTATE OF GEORGE T. LUKE-MAN, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given to all persons that Monday, February 6, 1950, is the claim date in the estate of George T. Lukeman, Deceased, pending in the County Court of Morgan County, Illinois, and that claims may be filed against the said estate on or before said date without issuance of summons.

Irene B. Lukeman
Geo. Lukeman, Jr., Executors
Edward J. Flynn, Attorney

NOTICE OF AWARD

Notice is hereby given that the Board of Local Improvements of the City of Jacksonville, Illinois, at a meeting held on the 27th day of December, 1949, did award the contract for the construction of the improvement of North Webster Avenue, by construction of a 4 in. cast-iron watermain, as contemplated by the ordinance providing for the same, to Caldwell Engineering Company on its proposal as follows:

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Dated at Jacksonville, Illinois, December 28, 1949.

ERNEST L. HOAGLAND
PRESIDENT of Board of Local Improvements of Jacksonville, Illinois

It Pays To Read The Ads

PLACED ON PROBATION

Carrollton—Kenneth E. Fry, who was found guilty of burglary and larceny by the circuit court some time ago, was placed on probation for a two-year period Friday by action of the court. Fry was also ordered to pay the costs of prosecution.

GERMAN ACTOR ILL

Vienna, Dec. 28.—(AP)—Emil Jannings, famous German actor, was reported critically ill today at his country home on the Wolfgangsee in the U. S. occupation zone. Dr. Hans Lauda, dean of the medical faculty of Vienna University, was called to his sickbed.

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New York Stock Market

New York, Dec. 28.—(AP)—Demand for railroad shares high-balled the stock market to another new 1949 high today.

Most of the day's gains could be measured in fractions. But they were

widespread and carried the list along to a general advance.

Activity picked up as the day progressed and total volume ran to around 1,600,000 shares.

The market reached its best average price level since July 14, 1948.

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JHS Edges Wildcats 37-36; Kincaid Nips Waverly 61-30

Bears Reminded Of Games Ohio State Has Won After Final Gun

Pasadena, Calif., Dec. 28.—(P)—California may be warned that Ohio State has a remarkable grid history of never giving up, even when the gun has sounded and a game to all appearances, is over.

On three notable occasions Ohio State has been given a breath taking reprieve just as a ball game seemed over, and each time the Buckeyes escaped a defeat or a tie and emerged victorious.

3 Sugar Bowl Cage Teams Call Last Minute Practices

New Orleans, Dec. 28.—(P)—Three Sugar Bowl basketball teams called last minute practices today on the eve of the 12th annual Bowl tournament.

The fourth, Kentucky, was without a reservation to work out in the Tulane gymnasium.

Villanova claimed the gym at 1:30 p.m. The team arrived in New Orleans last night by train.

The Tulane squad had the floor at 4 p.m. and Bradley's reservation was for 8 p.m.

Bradley ruled a favorite to win the tournament, but his edge is considered slight because:

Villanova is undefeated in seven games and boasts center Paul Arizin. Tulane has two top veterans back in center Jim Riffe and guard Virgil Risner, now in their fourth year.

Kentucky is always dangerous and has some top sophomores that may have come around after five games.

Bradley draws much of its strength from Paul Unruh, described by Tulane Coach Cliff Wells as probably the best man in the tournament, and Gene Melchiorre, a forward. Unruh, a center, scored 18 points Tuesday night as his team edged DePaul 68-65.

HARVARD DOWNS MSU

East Lansing, Mich., Dec. 28.—(P)—Harvard trounced Michigan State, 68-57, and Ohio State edged Cornell, 42-42, in a basketball doubleheader between the Western Conference and Ivy League teams witnessed by a slim attendance of 2,858.

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End First Round Play In Arenzville Grade School Meet

Games Tonight

Arenzville vs. Chambersburg (7:30 p.m.)

Ashland vs. Meredosia

Arenzville—First round battles in the Arenzville invitational grade school basketball tournament provided followers with some spirited action yesterday afternoon and evening.

Arenzville opened hostilities by drubbing Chambersburg 37-9. Chambersburg followed with an afternoon victory over Virginia, 27-22.

Ashland and Bluffs gave the fans a thriller in the evening game with Ashland finally drawing the nod by a 22-20 margin. Bluffs led 18-17 at the end of the third quarter. Ashland used only five men in the entire game.

Meredosia trimmed Browning 32-12 in the final first-round tussle last night.

COURT STRATEGIST

Box scores:

Arenzville

J. Coats 1 0 2

Al Coats 1 0 2

C. Lovkamp 5 0 10

Dufelmeier, c 5 0 10

Oris, c 0 0 0

Hobrock 1 0 2

Gar 0 1 1

G. Lovkamp 4 2 10

Totals 17 3 37

Chambersburg

Chandlerville FG FT TP

T. Duckwiler 0 0 0

D. Duckwiler 0 0 0

Kennedy, c 1 0 2

Phillips 0 0 0

Marr 1 0 2

Dyson 1 1 3

Richards 1 0 2

Totals 4 1 9

Arenzville

Arenzville 14 20 37

Chandlerville 4 5 9

Second game:

Chambersburg

Godley FG FT TP

Klein 5 2 12

Six, c 3 2 8

Hamm 3 1 7

Liske 0 0 0

Totals 11 5 27

Virginia

Barnett FG FT TP

Briggs 1 0 1

Smith 0 1 1

Young, c 2 2 4

Velten 1 0 2

Myers 4 2 10

Smith, J. 0 0 0

Totals 8 6 22

Third Game

Ashland

King FG FT TP

Farmer 4 2 10

Hickman 1 1 3

Senters 1 4 9

Rock 0 3 3

Totals 6 10 22

Bluffs

Eden FG FT TP

Barnett 1 4 6

Wolford 0 0 0

Lloyd 1 3 5

Morris 3 1 7

Little 0 0 0

Totals 6 8 20

Fourth Game

Meredosia

Walgreen FG FT TP

Schoedass 2 0 4

Hall 4 0 8

Tweedy 2 1 5

Nortrup 1 0 2

Ruyle 2 3 7

K. Allen 2 0 4

Easley 1 0 2

Totals 14 4 32

Browning

G. Allen FG FT TP

Stanbaugh 1 0 2

Bollinger 1 0 2

Hamm 0 0 0

R. Smith 1 2 4

Weisnar 0 1 1

S. Hamm 0 1 1

Wright 1 0 2

Totals 4 4 12

Meredosia

Gordosia 6 15 20

Browning 4 6 12

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Walker, SMU Back, Wins Nelson Award For Sportsmanship

Boston, Dec. 28.—(P)—Doak Walker, Southern Methodist University's great All-America back, tonight was selected unanimously as winner of the Boston Gridiron club's annual Swede Nelson award for sportsmanship.

Herb Kopf, assistant football coach at Boston College, who is chairman of the selection committee, reported Walker was named on 49 of 95 ballots forwarded by coaches, sports writers, broadcasters and college

Jack Lovelock, Record Olympic Miler, Dies In NY

New York, Dec. 28.—(P)—Dr. Jack Lovelock, a slender, curly-haired athlete who came out of New Zealand to become the world's greatest mile runner in the mid-thirties, died under a subway train in Brooklyn today.

Three cars of an eight-car local ground over his body after he apparently had suffered an attack of dizziness and fallen upon the tracks.

Shortly before the 39-year-old former world and Olympic record-holder had phoned his American-born wife, Cynthia, that he felt ill and was returning home from Manhattan's hospital for special surgery, where he was a staff member.

A seemingly effortless runner, Lovelock gave perhaps his most brilliant performance in the 1936 Olympic at Berlin when he set a new world and games record of 3 minutes, 47.8 seconds in winning the 1,500 meters race.

In that triumph he put on a thrilling stretch spurt to run away from 11 of the world's greatest distance stars and finish six yards ahead of Glenn Cunningham of Kansas, the American mile champion.

Earlier, in July of 1933, the shy, diffident Oxford scholar had set a world's record of 4:07.6 for the mile in a dual meet at Princeton between Oxford-Cambridge and Princeton-Cornell. It was a stirring duel in which Bill Bontrout of Princeton also lowered the existing standard with his time of 4:08.7.

Kentucky Suffers More Injuries In Rough Workout

Miami Beach, Fla., Dec. 28.—(P)—Kentucky's Wildcats, plagued with injuries since the start of their Orange Bowl training more than a week ago, went through a rough workout today and suffered some more casualties.

Big Doug Moseley, first string offensive center, received a shoulder bruise during the 90-minute workout but the injury was not believed serious enough to prevent him from playing against Santa Clara in the 16th annual Orange Bowl classic Jan. 2.

Bill Boller, 173-pounder of Gary, Ind., who recently was shifted from center to fullback, passed out during a huddle but he too was believed all right for future practice and for the game.

Lewicki Wins Indoor Tennis

Brookline, Mass., Dec. 28.—(P)—Miss Elaine Lewicki, top-seeded entrant from Hamtramck, Mich., today won the national girls indoor tennis championship with a 6-1, 6-2 victory over Carmen Lampe of Forest Hills, N.Y.

Miss Lewicki then teamed with Miss Edith Ann Sullivan of Brighton to win the doubles title with a 6-3, 6-3 decision over Miss Joy Val Der Rama of Honolulu and Miss Ruth Marshall of Norristown, Pa.

West Downs East In Swimming Meet

Fort Lauderdale, Fla., Dec. 28.—(P)—The West defeated the East today, 162 to 108 points, in the 11th annual East-West swimming meet to keep its record clean for never having been defeated in the event.

About 250 swimmers competed in the meet at the municipal Casino pool, postponed from Christmas Day because of rain.

Results:

50-meter freestyle—Don Scheff, Yale, 26.8.

50-meter backstroke—Everett Brooks, Purdue, 31.4.

400-meter freestyle—Buddy Walton, Northwestern, 5:02.2.

400-meter open freestyle—Jack Taylor, Ohio State, 4:59.8.

400-meter breaststroke relay—Davies, Michigan; Nicholich, Northwestern; Larimore, Iowa, and Elliott, Michigan.

200-meter freestyle relay—McGrath, Bowdoin; Wishart, Bowdoin; Brackney, Duke; Cornetti, Cornell.

200-meter backstroke relay—Kipland, Northwestern; Blackmon, Indiana; Donaldson, Michigan; Griesback, Iowa.

200-meter breaststroke relay—Davis, Moss, Elliott, and Austin, all of Michigan.

Ponies Prove Dark Horses Of Tournament; Crimsons Rally To Win

The Jacksonville-Routt holiday tournament, currently in session on the I.S.D. boards, has fans guessing as to the final outcome. The pre-tournament ratings apparently did not mean much to the underdogs who climbed out on the floor and gave it everything they had.

Pawnee's defending champions didn't last long when they bumped into a hot-shooting Virden outfit in the number-one game Tuesday night. It was hardly the same Blue Dog ball club that fell to the Crimsons 48-19 some days ago. Fans are of the same accord in one respect—that Pawnee was definitely overrated. And, with all the same team that won the title last year, their present showing is indeed a mystery.

Wildcats Lead At Half

Winchester forged to the front in the second quarter and took the halftime break with a 23-19 advantage over the Crimsons. Centering some neat pivot plays around lanky Bo Cummings, the Scott county pack completely outplayed Jacksonville in this period.

Cummings left the game with too many fouls early in the second half, but Winchester, with Hoots taking up the fight, stayed ahead of the rallying Jacks 30-29 as this canto closed.

Five Crimson basketballs led Jacksonville in the last quarter surge which carried them past Winchester 37-34 at one point. Gotchall, Kemp, Rhodes, Williams and Myers scored in that order.

Leading 37-34 and only three seconds to go, a Crimson athlete committed a foul and protested the decision, thereby drawing a technical. Hoots and Northrop hit the gift shots to provide a hair-raising finish to what was billed as a pre-tourney victory for Jacksonville. Winchester's Drummond heaved a last-second desperation shot as the game ended with the locals nursing a slim one-point advantage.

Kincaid Looks Good

Fourteen hundred basketball enthusiasts who jammed the ISD gym saw just about everything in the books in the second game of the evening which ended first-round action and tagged Kincaid a strong bet to cause some trouble in the tournament.

Trailing Waverly 11-5 at the end of first quarter play, Kincaid Coach Farrell Benefiel inserted a completely new team into the fray, saw his Ponies take command of the game and move into an 28-18 lead at the intermission.

From then on it was no strain for the Kincaid team that was rated seventh in the meet by the competing coaches. Irvin Bertaldo, Kincaid forward, laid claim to some sort of record when he shot 21 free throws, completing 14. The gift shots, plus seven field goals, gave the speedy cager a 28 point total and high scoring honors for the tournament so far. He drew fouls by the dozens with his driving play.

Coached by Benefiel, a former Centralia athlete and product of the Dizzy Trout school of coaching, the Kincaid bunch displayed a wide repertoire of shots—they all fired the same way—and a nifty fast break that swept Waverly off its feet time and again.

Kincaid led 37-22 at the end of the third quarter and, with ten athletes climbing to 76 degrees. The old mark, joining in the scoring, zoomed out front 61-30 in the final period. Most impressive was the rugged Bertaldo—outstanding player in the tournament to date.

Bill Meiers helped the Waverly cause with 11 points.

Giants, Yankees Agree To Switch Training Bases

New York, Dec. 28.—(P)—The New York Yankees and New York Giants today agreed to switch spring training bases for one year only, in 1951.

In 1951 the Giants will use the Yankees' training facilities at St. Petersburg, Fla., and the Yankees will use the Giants' quarters at Phoenix, Ariz. Both clubs will train at their normal sites in 1950 and again in 1952.

The move was expected as Del Webb, co-owner of the Yankees, often has expressed a desire that the club train in the far west. Webb's home is in Phoenix.

ASKS WEAKER TEAMS IN NFL GET TWICE AS MANY DRAFTS

Baltimore, Dec. 28.—(P)—The president of the Baltimore Colts wants weaker teams in the new National American football league to get twice as many chances to draft players as the top teams.

Abraham Watner proposed today that teams which won less than half their 1949 games be given two draft choices to every one by clubs with better than a .500 record.

Watner, recently elected president of the Colts, said he will make the suggestion at the Jan. 19 organization meeting of the new pro league in Philadelphia.

RECORD FOR MOBILE

Mobile, Ala., Dec. 27.—(P)—Yesterday was the hottest Dec. 27 on record in Mobile. The temperature climbed to 76 degrees. The old mark, set in 1942 and tied front 61-30 in the final period. Most impressive was the rugged Bertaldo—outstanding player in the tournament to date.

Bill Meiers helped the Waverly cause with 11 points.

Kramer Sometimes Doubts Gonzales Is Learning Game

London, Dec. 28.—(P)—Like many another teacher, Jack Kramer sometimes doubts that his star tennis pupil is learning anything.

The big professional King's star pupil Pancho Gonzales, who blasted his way to the top of the American amateurs with a brilliant driving service but only a casual acquaintance with the other fundamentals.

For \$30,000 the 21-year-old Mexican-American was persuaded to turn pro and was matched against Kramer, the unquestioned ruler of the game.

"Sometimes I think he's learning something, and other times I doubt it," said Kramer during a three-night stand in London.

"He's good, but I've won every set I've played good except for one in Chicago."

The match record at the moment reads 36 for Kramer, six for Gonzales since the tour started in New York in late October.

"It's a tough racket, but Pancho has had a lot of tough luck," Kramer said. "I think I've won almost every three-set match we've played. He must get more tired than I do."

As for himself, Kramer feels he's at the peak of his game.

"Everything is going right for me now. I wouldn't say that I was getting any better, but I'm only 28 and I don't figure to go down yet."

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Myers, f 1 1 3

Chapman, f 2 0 4

Baldwin, c 1 2 4

Rhodes, c 0 2 2

Wright, g 5 0 10

Gotchall, g 0 1 1

Kemp, g 1 0 2

Totals 14 9 37

Winchester

Drummond, f 2 2 6

Andell, f 2 0 4

Cummings, c 4 1 9

Greenwalt, c 0 1 1

Hoots, g 5 3 13

Northrop, g 0 2 2

Totals 13 10 36

By quarters:

Jacksonville 12 19 29 37

Winchester 12 23 30 36

Second game:

Kincaid FG FT TP

Doglio, f 1 2 4

Galbraith, f 2 0 4

Bertaldo, f 7 14 28

Warren, f 1 0 2

Stone, c 5 0 10

Mosley, c 1 1 3

Sullivan, c 1 0 2

Borgozioni, g 1 0 2

Henzley, g 1 0 2

Hogan, g 2 0 4

Totals 22 17 61

Waverly

Meiers, f 3 5 11

Schramm, f 0 1 1

Handy, c 1 0 2

Burnell, c 1 5 7

Caton, g 0 1 1

Mitchell, g 3 2 8

Totals 8 14 30

By quarters:

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Waverly 11 18 22 30

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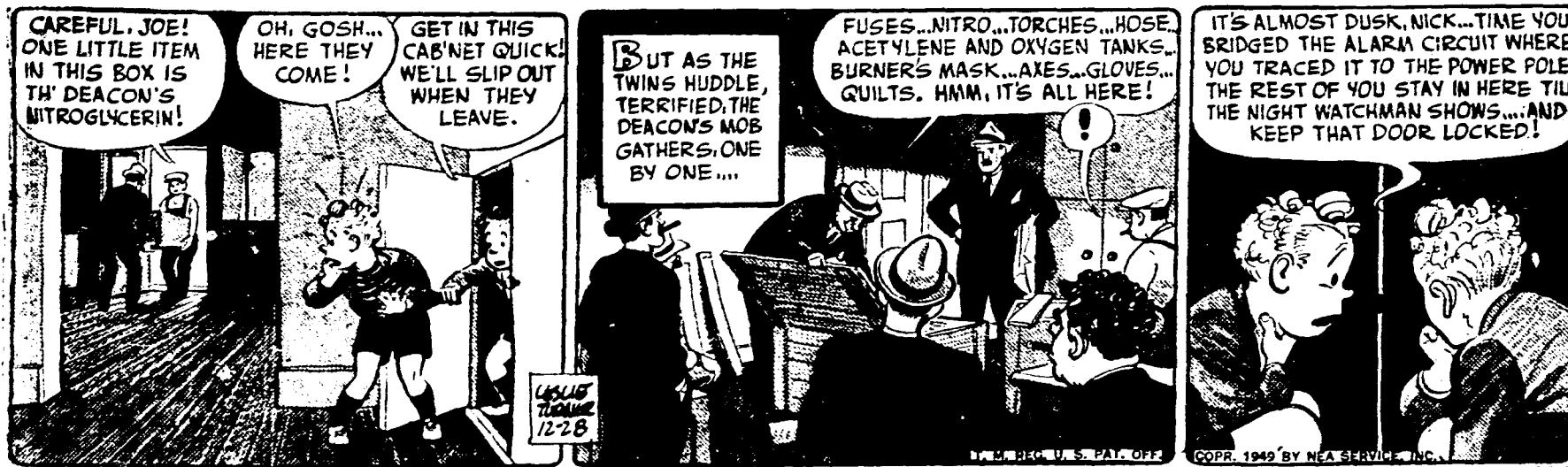
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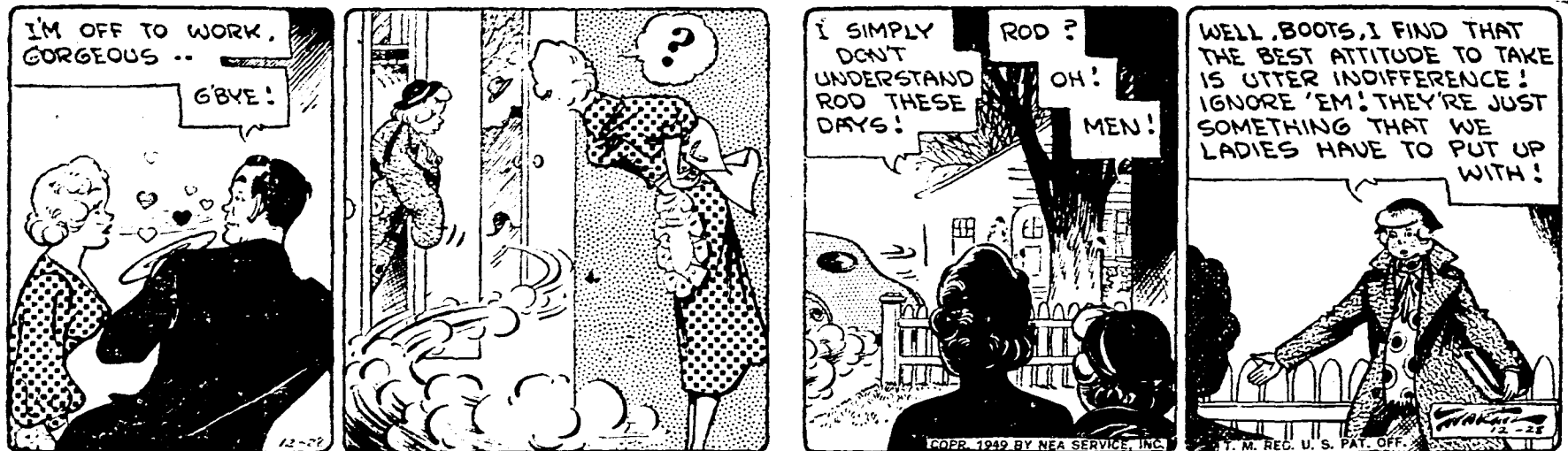
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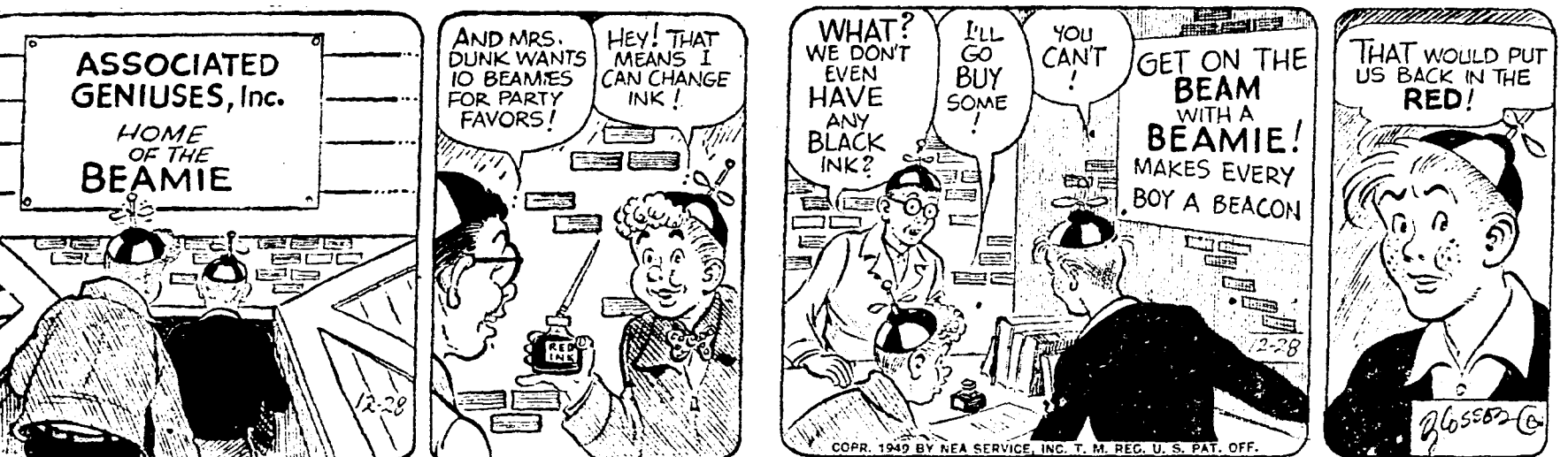
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- 14 Depicted porpoise
- 7 Beverage
- 10 It is from to eight feet long
- 11 Fruit drink
- 12 Spanish jar
- 14 Malt beverage
- 15 Time
- 17 Central
- 18 Concerning
- 19 While
- 22 Negative reply
- 22 Within (comb. form)
- 24 Brain passage
- 26 Stupely
- 27 Vein of ore
- 28 Doctor of Medicine (ab.)
- 29 Hebrew deity
- 30 Exist
- 31 Chaos
- 32 Foreteller
- 34 Young horse
- 37 Measure of land
- 38 Pen name of Charles Lamb
- 39 Note of scale
- 40 Reduces
- 46 Part of "be"
- 47 Work unit
- 49 It is found in the waters of the Atlantic

VERTICAL

- 1 Mute
- 2 Night before an event
- 3 An (Scot.)
- 4 Rabbit
- 5 Scent
- 6 Heredity unit
- 7 Preposition
- 8 Shade tree
- 9 Straightened
- 10 Charges for transportation
- 13 Worship
- 15 Phenyl (ab.)
- 16 Georgia (ab.)
- 19 Speculative
- 20 Makes quiet
- 23 More mute
- 25 Hydrocarbon
- 32 Bargain
- 33 Card game
- 35 Climbing plants
- 36 Domesticated
- 41 Half an em
- 42 Ship
- 43 Jason's ship (myth.)
- 44 Simmer
- 45 Exclamation of inquiry
- 48 Obtain
- 50 Mineral rock
- 52 Parent
- 54 Near

Answer to Previous Puzzle

DOGART **SCREEN**
GAIT **ADO** **STAB**
TE **POA** **TI**
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I Love My Doctor

By Evelyn Barkins

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THE STORY: John and I eloped before John finished his internship at the hospital. Now John has opened an office and an secretary-receptionist-nurse I'm helping him build a practice. Patients are few and so John has invited all his friends to call socially. In view of making him want him to cure them if they're ever ill. But the office needs a greater "Dr. Kildare" atmosphere," says John. "Can't we pep it up to impress the visitors?"

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"I'm sick of what people expect of a doctor," said John. "A medic is supposed to work from dawn to dawn with no time off for food or rest or sleep, although why anyone thinks a doctor's physical makeup is any different, I don't understand. If an M.D. ever followed the routine the public set up for him, he'd be crippled at 30, and dead at 40."

"Agreed," I answered promptly, "but you can't re-educate a whole world. And we've got a goal of our own." I liked to think that I was being "the dear little wife, helping her husband get on."

"All right," said John reluctantly, "well, what do we do next?"

"In order for us to look busy," I decided, "the phone must ring much more often. Everyone to date has commented on its peculiar, unhappy silence. Now I wonder if Freda or my mother could help us out there."

They could and they would. For the third, fourth, and fifth guest nights, to the satisfaction of everyone present, our phone rang every hour on the hour (my mother) and every hour on the half (Freda), whereupon John and I went into our act.

"Dr. B's office," I would answer with special dignity, and then turn to John with a gesture implying annoyance at such constant interruption, and say, "For you."

In the expectant hush that immediately followed as he walked

over, I would murmur wearily: "Patient's just never in him rest. Terribly busy, terribly!"

PROPERLY impressed, the visitors would listen eagerly to his every word like G-men taking down confessional testimony from a dying man, and John, aware of his audience, would make it good.

"Mrs. Parker?" he would glibly improvise while Freda giggled on her end. "That's too bad. A hundred three, you mean four? Try some of that medicine I left last time and I'll be there in the morning."

Or else he would say, "Mrs. Jones? Yes. What's that? Right side pain? Sounds like appendix. You don't say. I'll be right over." And in this script he would get up, take his bag, leave the house, and ride five times around the block in his car.

Upon his victorious return, he would be greeted by a barrage of medical questions, and it was actually startling and fascinating, even to me, to hear detailed accounts of the different, nonexistent case reports, almost as if he were day-dreaming aloud. A perfect Freudian wish fulfillment indeed!

But though our action bore some fruit in that occasionally a well impressed visitor would turn up in the office as a patient, or sometimes refer a more distant relative, the strain of perpetuating the farce, combined with the degrading feeling of shoddiness, proved within two weeks to be too much.

One night, we were in the midst of our telephone routine, when the entire system collapsed. "Mrs. Parker?" John began as usual. "That's too bad. A hundred three, you mean four, you mean six?" and at this point he lost all self-control and burst into such hearty laughter that he couldn't speak. Equally aroused, I started to laugh too, while our enraged visitors, who naturally could find no amusement in so tragic a plight,

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CLOSING OUT SALE

Having decided to quit farming, I will sell at Public Auction at farm located 1 mile South of Jacksonville on U. S. Route 67, then 1 mile East on gravel road, commencing at 10:30 a. m., on

Thurs., Jan. 5, 1950

the following property, to-wit:

LIVESTOCK

100 head of purebred Spotted Poland and China hogs, registered. 8 sows with litters at side. 14 sows bred to farrow in March. 15 gilts bred to farrow in March. 70 head of shoats, weight 60 to 120 lbs.

2 spotted Poland China boars. All hogs above are double treated.

1 brindle cow, 3 yrs. old, to freshen in Jan., will give 5 gallons.

1 red cow, 3 yrs. old, to freshen in Jan., will give 5 gallons.

1 Jersey cow, 4 yrs. old, to freshen in March, will give 4 gallons.

1 Guernsey cow, 5 yrs. old, to freshen in Jan., will give 6 gallons.

MACHINERY

1 H 1947 tractor with cultivators. 1 VAC Case, 1948 tractor, with bottom 14" mounted power lift plow (like new).

1 A.C. combine (1947). 1 1941 Ford V-8, 13 ton truck. 1 Case 2 row corn picker. 1 I.H.C. 3 bottom 14" plow. 1 I.H.C. 2 bottom 14" plow. 1 I.H.C. tractor mower, 7 ft. 8 ft. grain binder. 1 heavy 7 ft. tandem disc. 1 I.H.C. corn planter, with horse and tractor hitch. 1 stalk cutter. 1 section easy fall I.H.C. harrow. 1 I.H.C. corn sheller. 1 Bear Cat 10" hammer mill. 1 rubber tired steel bed wagon. 1 iron wheel wagon. 1 pump jack and electric motor. 1 electric cream separator. 1 stock tank. 1 hog feeder. 1 set of harness. Several gates, barrels, tools, and many other articles.

TERMS—CASH

Lunch will be served by the ladies of the Asbury W.S.C.S. Not Responsible for Accidents

ROBERT W. MALICOAT, Owner

Middendorf Bros., Auctioneers J. Harry Dowland, Clerk

Public Sale

FRI. DEC. 30, 12:30 P. M. SHARP

8 miles northwest of Jacksonville on all weather road. Eight rooms of furniture including lot of

Antique Furniture and Dishes

His sale was scheduled for Dec. 21st but was postponed on account of rain.

Terms—Cash Not Responsible for Accidents

FLORENCE CHALLINER, Owner

MERLE BEDDINGFIELD, C. FOREMAN, Auctioneers

LAND SALE

Saturday, December 31, 1949

SOUTH DOOR COURT HOUSE IN VIRGINIA, ILLINOIS

SELLING AT 10:00 A. M.

25 acres (more or less) improved farm located at east side of town of Virginia, Illinois. Seven room house, barn and several other outbuildings. Electricity in house, also city water and sewer available. Good productive land all tillable.

Seller will pay 1949 taxes and give possession March 1, 1950. Property will be sold free and clear of any encumbrances. Abstract may be inspected at office of attorney.

Terms of Sale: 25% on day of sale; balance upon delivery of deed. Abstract of title will be furnished.

MRS. ETHEL ERICKSON, Owner

H. J. COLLINS, Auctioneer, Ashland, Illinois.

C. G. COLBURN, Attorney, Virginia, Illinois.

A loan of 50% of purchase price can be arranged if desired

ADMINISTRATOR'S SALE OF PERSONAL PROPERTY

One Half Mile South of Jacksonville—1 P. M.

Thursday, Dec. 29th

Mowing Machine
2 Rack Wagons
2 Box Wagons
Alfa Romeo, Clover Buncher
1 Wheat Drill
1 Horse Drill
2 Pcs. Cultivators
1 Spring Tooth Rake
Pulverizer
1 Slip Scraper
1 Walking Plow
1 Small Plow
1 5-Tooth Garden Plow
1 Potato Plow
20 Ft. Ladder
1 Buzz Saw
Harrow
Bench
Vise and Anvil
2 Iron Kettles
1 300-Egg Incubator
1 Oil Brooder
10-20 McCormick-Deering Tractor and Plow
Corn Planter
Hog Feeder
1 Sow and 6 Pigs (white)
2 Horses
Harness and Collars
Double Trees, etc.
Oil Barrels

(String Sleigh Bells
2 Brooder Houses
1 Small Building
Grindstone
Tools, etc.
Used Lumber and Flooring
9x12 Rug
Writing Desk
2 Dressers
Antique Cherry Table
Radio
Folding Bed and Mattress
Chest of Drawers
Oct.
9x12 Congoleum Rug
Singer Sewing Machine
6x13 Congoleum Rug
10x13 Congoleum Rug
Seth Thomas Clock
3 Feather Beds
Metal Bed, Spring and Mattress
Heating Stove
Wood Stove
Cook Stove
Davenport
Rocking Chairs
Kitchen Cabinet
2 Dining Tables
Washing Machine
Canned Fruit
Curtains, Dishes, Pans, Etc.

JEANETTE STORY,

ADMINISTRATOR OF ESTATE OF ELIZABETH MASSEY, DECEASED.

HARRY STORY, Attorney

MIDDENDORF BROS., Auctioneers

Virginia Francis Dietrick, George W. Delaney, Wed

Everett B. Oliver Funeral Services Held Wednesday

Funeral services for Everett B. Oliver, retired locomotive engineer, who died here suddenly last Sunday night, were held Wednesday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock at the Cody & Son Memorial Home, with the Rev. C. Frank Janssen, pastor of Northminister Presbyterian church officiating.

Mrs. George Ferreira furnished organ music during the services. The Knights Templar burial rites were conducted by members of Hospital Commandery No. 31 of this city at the request of Austin Commandery No. 84, at Chicago of which Mr. Oliver was a member.

Hubert A. Little was the commander, Alfred R. Leake, prelate, Charles R. Reinhardt, senior warden and Charles Onnellas, junior warden. J. N. Dunham, commander, was in charge of the guard of honor.

The many floral offerings were cared for by Mrs. R. W. Sorrells, Mrs. Terrence Brennan, Jr., Miss Adeline Nunes, Mrs. Lawrence Smith, Mrs. Frank Keppler and Mrs. Frank Baptist.

The bearers, all members of the Masonic fraternity, were Karl Elam, Earl E. Meline, Clarence Souza, Frank Baptist, Charles Runkel and Russell W. Armstrong.

Burial was in the Eastview addition of Jacksonville cemetery.

Among those who attended the funeral from out of the city were Mr. and Mrs. Frank Harrison and Mr. and Mrs. Harry P. Rodriguez, Chicago; Mr. and Mrs. Russell Oliver, Peoria; Mrs. John R. Scott, Miss Evelyn Scott, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Scott and son, Earl, Jr., of Virginia; Oliver Nunes and son, Ollie Nunes, of Janesville, Wis.; Nellie Martin, Mrs. Edna Echnakey, Mrs. Goldie McEvers and Mrs. Elza DeSollar, all of Beardstown; Howard Oliver, J. D. Stewart, Ewing Rion, all of Springfield.

C. T. Montgomery, Former Resident, Dies In New York

Word of the death of C. T. Montgomery, 51, has been received by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Montgomery of 423 S. Clay avenue. He died Wednesday, Dec. 28, at the Veterans' hospital, Bath, N.Y. For a short time he was a resident of Jacksonville and assisted his father in the Montgomery Barber shop.

The deceased was born Feb. 12, 1887. A veteran of World War I, he was a member of the Catholic church, the Knights of Pythias and the American Legion.

Surviving besides his parents are three daughters, Mrs. Robert Sharp of Milford, Ohio, Miss Marielwe Montgomery of New Orleans, La., and Mrs. William Norvell, Jr., of Jacksonville, and several grandchildren.

Funeral services will be conducted in Ypsilanti, Mich. Arrangements are incomplete.

Rules Airline May Discontinue Peoria Stop At Present

Chicago, Dec. 28.—(AP)—The U. S. district court ruled today that Chicago and Southern Airlines may—at least for the present—discontinue the Peoria stop on its Chicago-St. Louis flights.

Lawyers for the airline told the court the company had conflicting orders from the Illinois Commerce Commission and the federal Civil Aeronautics Board regarding the stop.

Attorney Austin Zimmerman said the CAB ordered the airline to drop Peoria beginning Dec. 25. When the airline filed an amended schedule with the ICC showing the proposed change, the ICC suspended the amended schedule.

This had the effect, Zimmerman said, of requiring C&S to continue serving Peoria but the lawyer contended this would be in violation of the CAB order.

Suspect Arson In NY Hospital Fires

New York, Dec. 28.—(AP)—Two more small fires at Bellevue hospital—making five suspicious blazes this month—today started a search for a possible pyromaniac in the big institution.

Early today fires broke out in the basements of two separate buildings of the hospital, connected by an underground passage. Stored laundry and mattresses were damaged.

The other three fires occurred Dec. 5, 6 and 7.

Funeral Services

William Butler Rietz Funeral rites for William Butler Rietz will be held Thursday at 3:30 p.m. at the Gillham Funeral Home, with Major Henri Servais officiating. Interment will be in Jacksonville East cemetery.

TRAP SHOOT

Franklin Gun Club, 10 A.M. Jan. 1. Hams, Bacon, Groceries, etc.

Baptist-Disciples Churches To Hold Training School

Departments of Christian Education of First Baptist and Central Christian churches announce a Baptist-Disciples leadership training school to be conducted in Central Christian church.

Opening on Jan. 17, the school will be in session each Tuesday and Thursday evening at 7:30 for three weeks. Dates are: Jan. 17, 19, 24, 26, 31, and Feb. 2, 1950. A brief devotional period will precede the lesson hour of each session. John Stewart is chairman.

The six courses offered are accredited first series courses. The course on "Planning and Leading Group Worship" is especially designed for youth.

The following five courses are offered for adults: My Community and the Christian Ideal.

The Life of Christ. The Life and Work of Paul. Introduction to the Bible. The Meaning of Church Membership.

Assisting the local teaching staff will be three guest ministers: Rev. Wilbur W. Williams, Roodhouse; Rev. George Wilson, Virginia; and Rev. Frank V. Wright, Winchester.

Teacher participants from the local churches will be: Rev. Clair E. Malcolmson, Rev. Leslie Heuston, and Miss Marguerite Schoedsack. Miss Mabel Withee will serve as dean.

Special invitations have gone forth to Baptist and Disciples of this area. In addition, all sessions will be open to the general public.

Preceding the ceremony, a piano recital of wedding music and the traditional wedding marches were played by Mardelle Alderson of Chapin, cousin of the bride.

The bride entered the church on the arm of her father and was given by him in marriage. She was preceded to the altar by her sister, Phyllis Dietrick, who served as the bride's only attendant. Robert Musser, of Lincoln, brother-in-law of the groom, was his only attendant. Ushers were Edward Hogan, Jr., Chicago, and Robert Nicholson, Champaign.

Lace Over Net, Satin
The bride's gown of white lace over net and satin, was designed with a ballet length full skirt, ruffled neckline, and short puff sleeves. The fitted bodice was made with a rounded neck line. She wore matching lace mitts. Her fingertip veil was held in place with a satin head band set with seed pearls. The only jewelry worn by the bride was her mother's single strand of pearls. Her bouquet was a white orchid centered in a white satin ribbon.

The maid of honor's gown was of green lace over silk with a fitted bodice, full skirt and ruffled neckline. She wore a headband of braided satin and net with a net bow and carried a bouquet of red carnations tied with red satin ribbon.

The bridesmaids wore a dark brown, double breasted, business suit and the groomsmen a blue business suit. Men of the wedding party wore a white carnation boutonniere.

Marian Dietrick and Mardelle Alderson wore fuchsia floor length dresses and corsages of white carnations.

The bride's mother was attired in a forest green two piece street dress with black and gold accessories. She wore a corsage of red roses. The groom's mother wore a deep purple street dress with black accessories and a corsage of talisman roses.

Reception At Bride's Home
Following the ceremony, a wedding reception was held at the country home of the bride's parents which was beautifully decorated with a lighted Christmas tree and poinsettias.

Cake, punch, holly mints and nuts were served from a table decorated with candles and a centerpiece of white chrysanthemums and red carnations. Those assisting with the serving were Mrs. Robert Kircher, Mrs. Robert Nickel, Mrs. Paul Nickel, all of Concord, and Mrs. Robert Meyer of Lincoln.

DePaul U. Graduates
The bride is a former graduate of Chapin high school and received her B.A. degree at DePaul University. At the present time, Mrs. Delaney is a teacher of the first and second grades at Meredosia grade school. Mr. Delaney is a navy veteran, having served two years in World War II, and a graduate of Virden high school and DePaul University. He is now an assistant professor in the department of philosophy at the University of Illinois.

For her going away outfit, the bride chose a dark green silk crepe with iridescent bead trim and grey accessories and wore a corsage of a white orchid. Upon their return from a wedding trip through southern states, Mr. and Mrs. Delaney will resume their teaching duties.

Out of town guests were present from Indianapolis, Virden, Jacksonville, Chicago, Chapin, Champaign and Lincoln.

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J. A. Scheferkorf Dies Wednesday In Jacksonville

John Alfred Scheferkorf, 48, passed away at his residence, 529 West Chambers street, at 10 a.m. Wednesday after a lingering illness. He was born at Alexander, June 21, 1901, the son of Joseph and Rosina Stork Scheferkorf. Since 1931 he has made his home in Jacksonville.

He is survived by four sisters and three brothers, Miss Annie Scheferkorf and Mrs. Elizabeth S. Todd at home, Mrs. Margaret Schmidman of this city, Mrs. Frances T. Zeiler of Richmond, Ind., Henry B. Scheferkorf of Alexander, William A. of Pleasant Plains and Joseph F. of Waverly, and several nieces and nephews.

He was preceded in death by three sisters, Miss Theresa R. Scheferkorf, Mrs. Wilmette Goodey and Mrs. Mary R. Bull. Two sets of twins, all brothers, died in infancy.

Services will be held at 8:30 a.m. Saturday at the Church of Our Saviour. Burial will be made in St. Mary's cemetery at New Berlin. The remains are at the residence, where they may be viewed after 3 p.m. Thursday. The Reavy Funeral Home is in charge of the rites.

Manila Is Rocked By Sharp Quakes
Three sharp earth shocks rocked Manila today. No casualties were reported immediately.

The shocks lasted two and one-half minutes and reached a maximum of intensity 5.

(The Rossi-Forrel scale of earthquake intensities lists 5 as a "shock of moderate intensity, felt generally by everyone, disturbance of furniture, etc., ringing of bells.")

Evacuation of buildings was general throughout the downtown area but most of the people returned in about 15 minutes.

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Illinois Farmer Wins In 9 State Soil Competition

Champaign, Ill., Dec. 28.—(AP)—Walter J. Mueller, Freeburg, Ill., was announced today as the winner of a nine-state soil conservation contest.

About 125 farmers from Illinois, Indiana, Ohio, West Virginia, Pennsylvania, Maryland, Virginia, Delaware, and New York entered the contest sponsored by the Baltimore and Ohio railroad. It was the first time since the annual contest started four years ago that it was won by an Illinoisan. His prizes totalled \$300.

The Mueller farm has been in the family for four generations, contest officials noted, or about 120 years. Mueller said, "It has been my ambition to leave this farm to my son in better condition than it was left to me. I believe I have realized this ambition."

Since he began conservation work on his 200-acre farm in 1939, Mueller has contoured 46 acres, put in more than a half mile of grass waterways, and nearly 11 miles of terracing, strip-cropped 30 acres, planted trees on three acres and improved a 40-acre woodlot, improved 16 acres of pasture and practiced controlled grazing on nine more acres, built a farm pond and flume, limed 150 acres, and applied rock phosphate to 120 acres and commercial fertilizer to 130 acres.

"Our program has paid off in dollars and cents. Our yields are high and our land is safer from erosion because of our terraces and strips."

"We save money on machinery and the most of filling ditches. We save labor and gasoline by working around the slopes instead of up and down. I know we save a lot of soil and moisture by doing it."

Freeburg is located near Belleville.

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Film To Stress Need For Grasses, Legumes

The legume-grass program to be sponsored throughout Illinois by the College of Agriculture and the extension service this year will be launched in Jacksonville Wednesday evening, Jan. 4, when a group of agricultural leaders will attend a premier showing of a new film, "Green Dollars."

The movie was prepared by the agronomy department of the University of Illinois. It was directed by a committee headed by Clyde M. Linsley.

The film will be shown at Farm Bureau hall at 7:30 p.m.

Farm Adviser E. H. Garlich said officials noted, or about 120 years. Mueller said, "It has been my ambition to leave this farm to my son in better condition than it was left to me. I believe I have realized this ambition."

Since he began conservation work on his 200-acre farm in 1939, Mueller has contoured 46 acres, put in more than a half mile of grass waterways, and nearly 11 miles of terracing, strip-cropped 30 acres, planted trees on three acres and improved a 40-acre woodlot, improved 16 acres of pasture and practiced controlled grazing on nine more acres, built a farm pond and flume, limed 150 acres, and applied rock phosphate to 120 acres and commercial fertilizer to 130 acres.

"Our program has paid off in dollars and cents. Our yields are high and our land is safer from erosion because of our terraces and strips."

"We save money on machinery and the most of filling ditches. We save labor and gasoline by working around the slopes instead of up and down. I know we save a lot of soil and moisture by doing it."

Freeburg is located near Belleville.

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